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## College jacks tuition, kills daycare

### Strategy depends on higher enrolment

By JENNIFER LANG

TUITION WILL RISE by 20 percent next year at Northwest Community College and the daycare at the Terrace campus will be closed.

Additional layoffs and reduced service hours at some campuses will also be necessary, as the college gets closer to resolving a \$3 million deficit due to provincial cutbacks.

"We're about a quarter of a million dollars away, so we're getting closer," college president Stephanie Forsyth said following the board of governors meeting.

The tuition increase approved April 13 – smaller than those announced by many other colleges since B.C.'s six-year tuition freeze ended – means NWCC can keep all 10 campuses open, Forsyth said.

The tuition increase will generate \$519,000 in additional revenue for the college – provided nearly 500 additional students enrol.

The college learned last month it's expected to boost the number of Full Time Equivalent students (FTEs), or it will lose its current budget allocation from the provincial government.

Even with the tuition increase, NWCC's tuition is still the lowest in the province.

"No one wanted to see an increase if we could at all avoid it, given the current economic situation in the north," Forsyth said.

The college laid off 38 employees when it lost nearly \$1 million in non-core programming in a round of provincial government cutbacks announced in January.

"We have taken very seriously the cuts in the communities in the north have been facing," Forsyth said.

NWCC surveyed mayors and economic development officers in the region about the impact of government cuts when reviewing its tuition hike.

"The college is probably one of the largest, if not the largest [government service] in the north right now," she said, adding education is one of the remaining ways people can re-train and find new employment.

The decision to close the daycare facility ends two months of speculation as staff, administration and faculty reviewed alternatives, but there was no getting around the need for an operating subsidy from the college.

The college found operating efficiencies and other cuts to keep campuses open, she said.

Work hours for some part-time positions are reduced, meaning another 15 to 18 part-time employees will lose their jobs.

Three administrators are also being laid off and some services – like marketing and publications – are being centralized.

Most of the other operational cuts are internal, Forsyth said.

A \$25 application fee has been eliminated, so it won't cost potential students anything to apply.

"We want to follow up every inquiry we can," Forsyth said.

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Stephanie Forsyth



## Riding shotgun

TOP GUN: Five-year-old Benjamin Knoll gets set to blast away interstellar nasties on a flying machine piloted by his four-year

old sister Allison. They were among the fun-seekers at the Westcoast Amusements carnival Thursday. JEFF NAGEL PHOTO

## Police sting snared young murder suspect, court told

By SARAH A. ZIMMERMAN

A JURY will hear 20-year-old Christopher Alexander confess on videotape to the 1998 murder of Linda Lefranc, crown prosecutor Declan Brennan said as the young man's trial opened here last week.

The 37-year-old single mother and college student was brutally stabbed to death in her Braun St. townhouse Dec. 9, 1998. Her seven-year-old daughter found her laying in a pool of blood that morning.

Alexander, 17 at the time and living next door to Lefranc, is being tried in adult court for first-degree murder.

Dressed in a white button-down shirt, black slacks and tie with white socks and no shoes, he paid close attention and often looked over to the seven-woman, five-man jury.

Brennan told the court undercover RCMP officers posed as an organized crime ring recruiting new members to get Alexander to talk.

Alexander takes responsibility

for the murder and provides details of it in a two-hour video in which he meets an officer posing as the crime ring's boss, Brennan said.

"Mr. Alexander discusses in detail about killing Miss Lefranc," Brennan said of the tape, which will be played to the jury.

He said Alexander's description on tape of the weapon he

Police arrested Alexander Dec. 17, 1999 at the Terrace-Kitimat airport here after a lengthy undercover investigation.

Other evidence, including a partial palm print on a glass fishing float, also places the young man in Lefranc's townhouse, court was told. Brennan said investigators at the scene concluded a robbery had taken place.

Lefranc's purse appeared to

fingerprint analysis, Lefranc's autopsy and the year-long investigation leading to Alexander's arrest.

Police investigated 330 tips, polygraphed friends and family and monitored the accused's activities in the lower mainland.

At the time of the murder, Alexander lived with his mother and siblings next door to Linda Lefranc in the same six-unit townhouse.

Brennan said there was some "friction" between Lefranc and Alexander's family, adding the accused had stolen from her prior to her death.

"Mr. Alexander appears to be familiar with how to enter that apartment without forcing his way in," Brennan said.

Two of Linda Lefranc's relatives sat in the courtroom. One woman sported a white ribbon on her lapel.

One of Christopher Alexander's friends from high school was also present on April 17, the first day of proceedings. The trial is expected to last for another three weeks.

**Undercover RCMP officers posed as an organized crime ring recruiting new members to get Alexander to talk, court was told.**

claims to have used matches the description of the type of weapon pathologists say must have been used.

Autopsy results show Lefranc was stabbed 83 times with a long, slender knife roughly 2 centimetres wide, dull on one side and sharp on the other, Brennan said. But no murder weapon was ever found.

have been disturbed and receipts, bits of paper and cards were found littered on the floor of the apartment, he said.

Brennan said her body's position – between the couch and the telephone – made it appear she was making her way to the telephone when she was stabbed.

Prosecutors will call witnesses to testify about the crime scene,

## Dialysis next health priority

THE MUCH sought after renal dialysis program is set to emerge from the shadowy world that decides on health care projects.

Those closely involved suggest there'll be good news within weeks for a program that has been wanted here for years.

The northwest is the largest geographical area in B.C. without such a program.

It means people here who needed the life-saving, kidney-cleansing procedure have to move away, most commonly to Prince George.

Some people, depending upon their condition can do dialysis at home.

"I'm feeling better all the time about it," Skeena Liberal MLA Roger Harris said last week.

"I didn't hear a 'yes,' but I heard some pretty good words. They're calling it imminent," said Harris who has been bird-dogging the project since his election to the legislature nearly a year ago.

Just two weeks ago another project – the purchase of a mammography unit – was given its own approval after months of delay.

Planning for a six-station renal dialysis unit here intensified two years ago.

There were optimistic projections in early 2000 that the project would not only be approved, but built and ready for use by now.

Instead, the project has been in limbo, a victim of a series of time-consuming events.

The provincial election of May 2000 pretty much stopped all health care planning.

Even after the election was over, the registered nurses' work-to-rule later campaign that spring and into the summer took nurses out of the planning process, forcing another delay.

By fall the new Liberal government froze all capital programs until it could review all of the projects.

And that review was extended further into the late fall and winter of 2000 when five new super-regional and one province-wide health authorities were created to replace a large collection of smaller ones.

The blessing for dialysis here now sits with the new authorities, says Joanne Cozac. She works for the new Northern Health Authority and manages the renal program in Prince George. She would also be responsible for the one here.

"There is agreement at all levels of government and with all the authorities that there is a need for renal dialysis in Terrace," Cozac said last week.

She's predicting some kind of go-ahead announcement within weeks.

Prior to last year's capital projects freeze, Terrace was on the list for budget approval as were four other

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## We have highest jobless rate in B.C.

UNEMPLOYMENT in northwestern B.C. has hit a staggering 14.6 per cent.

That's the highest jobless rate anywhere in B.C.

Elsewhere around the province, unemployment ranges from a low of 7.3 per cent in the northeast to 13 per cent in the Cariboo.

The new rate in this region in March is a full percentage point higher than the 13.6 per cent reported in February by Human Resources Development Canada.

It's also 3.2 per cent higher than the unemployment rate was a year ago, the labour force survey results indicate.

In the past 12 months the region's economy's been rocked by the shutdown of Skeena Cellulose operations. Loggers haven't worked since summer and the B.C. government has started to cut jobs.

The provincial average unemployment rate held steady at 9.4 per cent. National unemployment is at 8.5 per cent.







# Rural depopulation sign of trouble in the north

A demographer says B.C.'s urban 'parasites' need to help the hinterland

By JEFF NAGEL

A DISTURBING depopulation of B.C.'s hinterland suggests the north needs a new deal that recognizes its contribution to the province, says a Vancouver-based demographer.

David Baxter is the first to admit he's a freeloader, part of the service economy-driven south that feeds off the wealth extracted from northern resources.

"Those of us down here, we're really parasites," says Baxter, executive director of the Urban Futures Institute. "If you're not an exporter, you're a parasite."

The south needs to accept that and take measures to aid northern towns, he says.

Baxter was reacting to the release of the 2001 census, which shows serious population drops across much of the north.

Particularly alarming, he said, are numbers that show a 12 per cent population decline in the Skeena-Queen Charlotte regional district.

"These aren't numbers that show happy times," Baxter said.

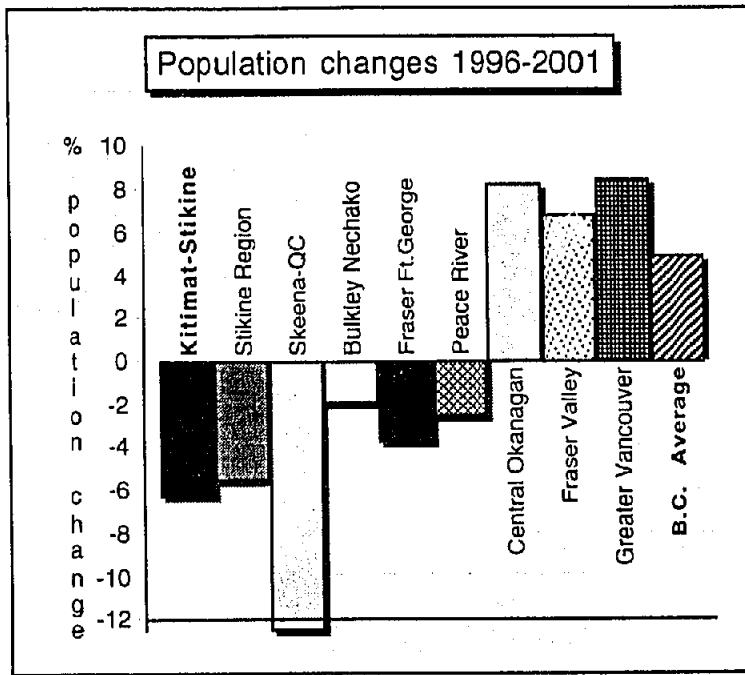
He says the statistics reveal B.C. is a province divided.

Most of its population growth is concentrated in greater Vancouver, lower Vancouver Island and the Okanagan region. Those areas, which Baxter defines as the urban south, housed 83 per cent of B.C. residents and grew by six per cent in the census.

The rest of the B.C., with 17 per cent of the population, most of the land base and the vast majority of the resources, declined by three per cent in the past five years.

"You kind of have to sit back and say 'What's going on here,'" Baxter said.

Although people have fallen in love with the new high-tech economy, he says, the reality is that 80 per cent of the money B.C. has to spend comes from the export of products — much of it pulp, paper, lumber and mineral ore.



"The economic base of the province is in serious trouble," he said. "The regions that are losing population, where 17 per cent of the population lives, are regions that are disproportionately supporting the other 83 per cent of us."

The rural population decline is directly linked to the economic downturn in the resource industry, he said.

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stries, he said.

When a resource-dependent town loses its mill or mine and people move away, that can start a chain reaction.

"Then there's not enough people to support the dentist, so he leaves. Then there isn't enough people to support the bank. And there's a downward spiral."

Stats showing migration between provinces aren't available

yet, but Baxter suspects the numbers will show significant numbers left for Alberta.

The hinterland regions of B.C. lost 34,000 people aged 45 or under over three years, while Alberta gained 70,000.

"This is a loss of young people, of families," he said. "When you know it's young families moving away that really erodes the base

of a community. It affects schools, shopping centres, retailers, all that stuff."

The population stats cover the change from 1996 to 2001 — NDP years in power.

How the Liberals react will determine whether the decline can be reversed, Baxter said.

But he noted the government is now cutting back services across the province in a bid to balance

its budget within three years.

That threatens to accelerate the decline in some towns, he said.

When health or other services are taken away because there aren't enough people to justify them, he said, other residents often decide to leave.

"If people can't get care they're going to move to the Okanagan," he said. "That erodes the community further and contributes to the spiral."

Baxter suggests it's time that B.C. consider spending money on the basis of where it's produced.

"Maybe spending shouldn't be proportionate to population, maybe it should be proportionate to economic base," he said.

That might mean more money for hospitals, roads and services in the north, and a little less money for the Lion's Gate Bridge, Skytrain, or the Olympics.

"What happens if the northern part of the province secedes?" Baxter points out. "It does clarify the relationship."

Falling population will also reduce the north's collective political power.

The population decline here relative to increases in the south means there will likely be fewer MLAs in the north when B.C.'s political boundaries next get redrawn.

Likewise, Baxter says the two new federal seats just given to B.C. will likely be added in Surrey or Coquitlam. "They ain't going to be up north."

Baxter admits too many southerners, when they think of the north at all, regard it as a wilderness playground and don't particularly care if there is logging, mining, shopping centres or people up here.

Since the north will never be able to outvote the urban south in elections or in the legislature, he says, its fate will depend on convincing Victoria new thinking is needed.

## News In Brief

### Cats shot

THREE Queensway Drive residents say various cats in their neighbourhood have been shot by an unknown person.

The shootings happened between Mar. 18 and April 5 and police say a .22 calibre air rifle may have been used in the incidents.

If anyone has information regarding these shootings please contact the Terrace RCMP detachment at 638-7400 or Crimestoppers at 635-TIPS.

### Tolls for Usk ferry

USK FERRY passengers are one step closer to paying a toll to cross the Skeena River now that the provincial government has introduced legislation to charge user fees for inland ferries.

Transportation minister Judith Reid said her ministry will speak to communities about fares structures this summer and that they'll be introduced by the end of the year.

Reid also announced that B.C.'s inland ferry system will be sold off over the next two years.

Meanwhile, service hours on many routes, including the Usk Ferry, have been reduced. Three ferry routes were scrapped altogether.

Reid said user fees will help her ministry preserve the inland ferry system while putting it on more of an equal footing with the coastal ferry system, operated by B.C. Ferries, a crown corporation that charges user fees.

### Vote officer named

ELECTION VETERAN Elaine Johnson has been reappointed to oversee this November's municipal elections in Greater Terrace.

On Nov. 16, people across B.C. will vote for new city councils, school boards and regional district boards.

Johnson was appointed chief electoral officer at the April 8 Terrace city council meeting. That's just her latest appointment. Johnson was chief electoral officer in the 2001 council by-election won by city councillor Marilyn Davies.

### Stolen property seized

TERRACE RCMP are trying to find the owner of a decorative plate they believe was stolen.

Several items were recovered from a group of young people on Kalum St. and Scott Ave. in the early morning hours of Apr. 7, said Cst. Tom Kalis. Among the items recovered was a decorative plate labelled "Legend of the Spirits" with a picture of a soaring eagle on it. The plate has gold trim and a wooden stand was included, police said.

Police say they have reason to believe the items were stolen. "The person who had the property could not explain where it came from," Cst. Kalis said. "I figured it was a pretty distinctive plate and I was hoping someone would come forward and identify it."

If you have information about where the plate came from, contact the Terrace RCMP detachment at 638-7400.



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## Gas attack

THERE'S BAD news for residential consumers in a deal that's good news between Pacific Northern Gas (PNG) and its largest customer, Methanex in Kitimat.

Methanex buys natural gas at the source for its plant in Kitimat which produces methanol and other products. It then pays PNG to ship the natural gas through the latter's northwest pipeline. But Methanex for several years has been struggling financially and points to the transport cost as one expense item it wants to trim.

The proposed solution is for PNG to cut that cost to Methanex and make up for it by charging others, such as homeowners, more to make up the difference. In effect, homeowners would be subsidizing Methanex's operations.

Right now, that cost for homeowners would be buffered somewhat by a reduction in the price of natural gas. But should the cost of gas rise, that buffering effect would quickly disappear.

Homeowners should note that this is taking place in a province where the word "subsidy" as it applies to business operations is a nasty word.

Homeowners should also note they are already paying more on their bills because of another business manoeuvre. PNG majority owner, Westcoast Energy, has been bought by American giant Duke Energy. Where does Duke Energy get the money? By the fixed return on investment as set by the utilities commission.

Financial analysts have determined PNG is a risky proposition and that means a higher fixed rate of return. That higher rate is reflected in natural gas bills. So what we're doing is subsidizing (there's that nasty word again) Duke Energy's purchase.

The Methanex and Duke deals play well for the corporations involved. There's even a provision for PNG to share in the profits of Methanex's Kitimat plant.

But make northwestern homeowners to pay portion of the freight. So we'll be forgiven if we turn our thermostats down a notch and reach for the antacid tablets to counter this kind of gas attack.

## Good medicine

IT'S HARD to find much to laugh about in B.C. nowadays. But's that what the Canadian Mental Health Association wants us to do as part of Mental Health Week, May 6-12.

The association says laughter can boost the immune system, improve circulation, lower blood pressure and provide a burst of aerobic exercise.

Best of all, the association says, is to find someone with which to laugh - old friends, new friends, family.

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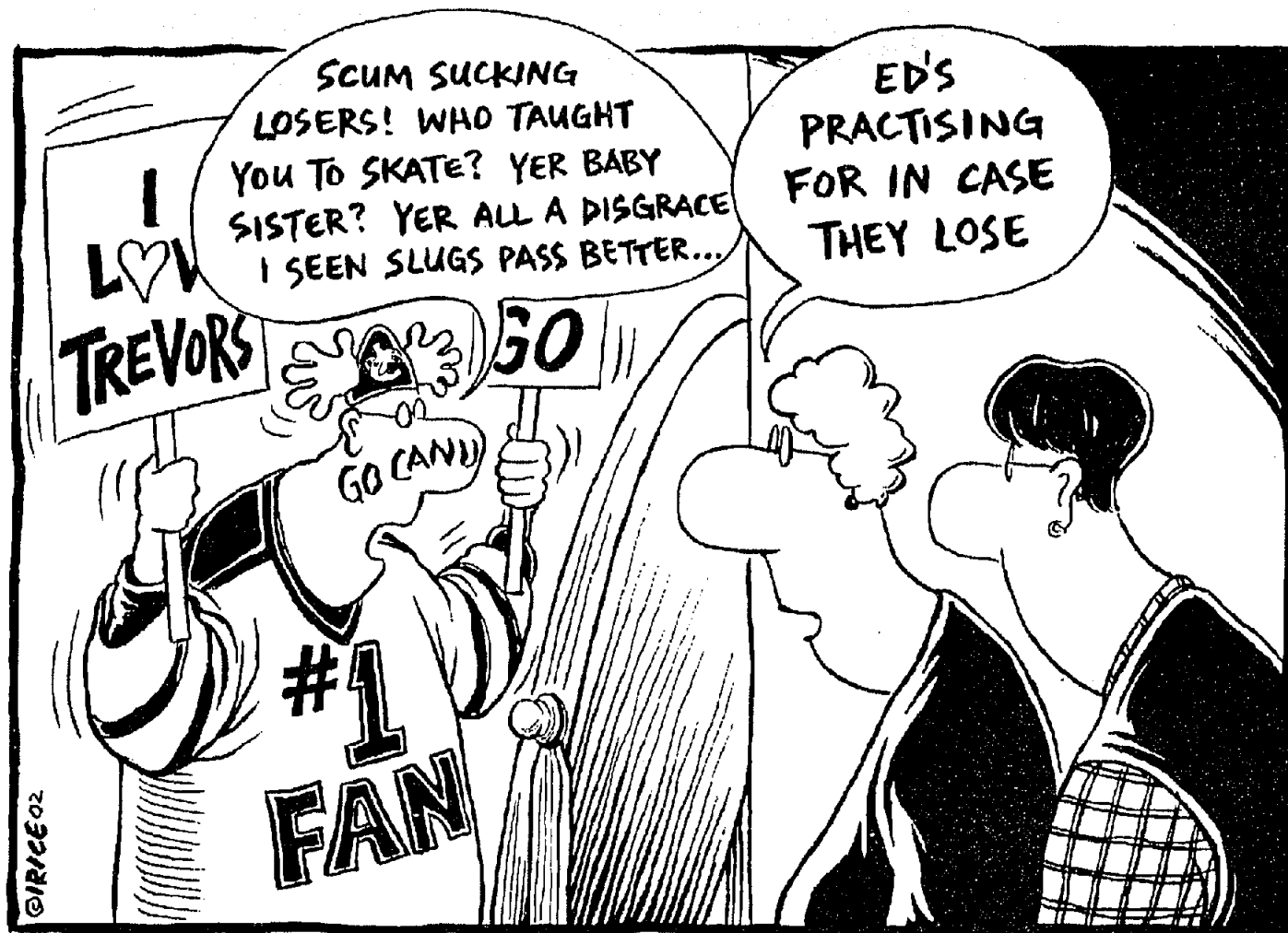
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## Genetic engineering gone mad

VICTORIA - About 20 or so years ago, I wrote a satirical column about my coming "out of the closet" as a heterosexual.

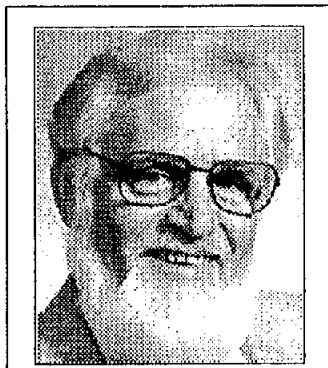
That piece was in response to a number of prominent homosexual people proclaiming with pride that they were homosexuals. That included our esteemed New Democratic Party MP, Svend Robinson.

That would be the same Member of Parliament who has declared his allegiance to Yasser Arafat. And that would be the same guy who sends suicide bombers to Israel to blow up themselves and a bunch of people from what they love to refer to as the Zionist Entity or the Little Satan.

For my efforts I got a few death threats from people who said they knew where I lived and that I ought to be on high alert because I would never know what might happen to me or my family.

The path to political correctness was already clear at the time: Get with the program or be damned. At the time I thought the world couldn't get any crazier. I was wrong. The inmates were still to take over the asylum.

Last week, we learned that a lesbian couple, both of whom are deaf, managed



FROM THE CAPITAL  
HUBERT BEYER

through artificial insemination to have a deaf child.

To have a deaf child was their aim. "I want to be the same as my child," said Sharon Duchesneau of Bethesda, Maryland in the United States. "I want the baby to enjoy what we enjoy. Deafness, she said, was a "cultural identity."

I know about cultural identity. My penchant for German beer and pork sausages knows no bounds. Unfortunately, when our kids were born, I couldn't genetically addict them to the same food. Tough luck.

The couple's lawyer lamely tried to compare his clients, quest with that of parents who have children with physical defects. It's no different, the

lawyer said, than parents of a deaf child trying everything to give their child the gift of hearing.

I must be missing something here. Hearing is the norm. Some children are born without ever being able to hear a bird sing, listen to Beethoven's Symphony Nr. 9 or hear someone say "I love you." To deliberately engineer a child to be born deaf by selecting a deaf sperm donor and then celebrating the result as a cultural identity victory is nothing short of obscene.

We all know handicapped people who defied all odds to celebrate the human spirit. Rick Hansen, the Man in Motion, stormed the globe in his wheelchair.

Does the couple who condemned their child to a life of silence really believe that Hansen would deliberately father a wheelchair-bound child?

As one angry reader in my daily newspaper pointed out in third-world countries it is not unknown for parents to blind their children or amputate perfectly functional limbs of children to bestow upon them the career of a beggar.

"The cult of professional victim has become a mainstream industry in our culture," Robert Sciuk of Oshawa said.

What we are dealing with here is a self-imposed victim cult. As a civilized, multi-cultural society, we celebrate our differences. The worth of no member of our society is diminished because he or she is "different," be that different in skin colour, religion, or in physical and mental abilities.

We believe, and thankfully so, in accepting our fellow humans as they are.

But that does give anyone the right to deliberately design a child with defects, simply because the parents suffer from the same affliction and want their child to "share" that experience.

What these two women did is beyond my comprehension. As the saying goes, "there ought to be a law." Unfortunately, there doesn't seem to be one that would prevent future occurrences of similar obscenities.

We can only anxiously await what's next: breeding warriors, poets, accountants, plumbers, each with their inbred predilection towards the wishes of parents who want junior to be just like them, only more so?

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## The church fails its parishioners

PRIESTS DON'T become pedophiles. Pedophiles become priests.

That's the conclusion of a New Jersey man who accepted hush money from the Catholic church for sexual abuse he suffered from his priest from the ages of 9 to 17. But two years after the cash settlement, he discovered the priest who had abused him was still at work, only in another diocese.

The young man went public, hush money or no. Connie Chung interviewed him on CNN. He also appeared on Oprah. His story brought other abused men to public light, adding to an already growing scandal in the U.S.

Certainly, judged by the numbers of alleged pedophiles in the Boston diocese alone, the New Jersey man's conclusion has grounds.

Unfortunately, the Catholic church deals with abusive priests the way school boards dealt with abusive teachers, quietly moving them from one area to another where the abusers are then free to prey on a



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whole new unsuspecting crop of innocent children and trusting parents.

The sexual abuse of Newfoundland's Mt. Cashel orphans by the Christian Brothers was my first inkling that Catholic priests could pose a danger to children. Then last week the priest of Terrace's Catholic church was whisked off to Cleveland to answer allegations of sexual abuse levelled years ago by U.S. parishioners.

Hearing news reports involving children abused in a far flung province, or even on Vancouver Island, was disturbing but impersonal. That changed last week. The Terrace priest had christened children and married a couple known to my family.

News reports say the priest removed from Terrace had been on loan from Cleveland for more than ten years, ministering here in the North. If Cleveland was aware of abuse allegations against him before they loaned him to this region, they should have informed the Prince George diocese.

Cleveland can argue that they had taken the allegations seriously and treated this person. But to state this after the fact is reprehensible and damaging to the parishioners of the Prince George diocese.

April 15 the Vatican summoned the 13 American cardinals to Rome for what one commentator labelled "a trip to the woodshed."

Based on past performance, I'd suspect Rome is looking for

new, different ways to shuffle the problem, disperse it, not have it bunched in Cleveland, Boston, Los Angeles and other major centres.

So far the Catholic church has shown more concern for the priests than for the parishioners, especially the abused children.

However, in one week alone, Boston charities lost \$1 million. Maybe dwindling donations are resounding in Rome. It's been slow to react to the frustrations of Catholics that are driving them from the faith, taking their dollars with them.

The priesthood is the ideal environment for a pedophile. Parents trust the priest implicitly, feel their children are safe in his care, let the kids help the priest after school and on weekends. And everyone defers to a priest.

I recall as a public school student a visit from the parish priest who dropped by mid-afternoon and preached to us for an hour while teacher stood by, awe struck.





# Legal aid office here closes its doors by summer's end

By SARAH A. ZIMMERMAN

TERRACE'S L'Ax Ghels Community Law centre will be closed by the end of August and replaced by a new regional legal aid office.

L'Ax Ghels is one of 60 offices around the province closing their doors because of cuts to legal aid and a massive restructuring of how those services are delivered.

The 60 offices, some of which, including Terrace, are now operated by independent societies, will be replaced by seven regional centres run by the Legal Services Society of B.C.

One of those seven offices will be in Terrace and there will be local agents scattered across other places.

Local agents are people who direct clients to legal information services and they will be based in Dawson Creek, Fort St. John, Hazelton and Prince Rupert.

What happens to the two lawyers and five other employees at the L'Ax Ghels Terrace's legal aid office is unclear.

How the new centre operates, how many people will work there and what it means for service delivery is also unknown.

The L'Ax Ghels office is financed by the Legal Services Society (LSS) and is operated by an independent board which hires the employees, said LSS official Sandy Shreve.

Since the seven employees here are not LSS employees, they will not be given priority for hiring when the new structure is put in place in September, she said.

"That's all done according to the union contract," Shreve said. "We're applying the collective agreement when it comes to filling the positions of the new structure."

Most of those positions will be offered to unionized lawyers who work directly for LSS.

If all the new positions are not filled an open competition will likely be advertised for other lawyers to apply, said L'Ax Ghels lawyer Barry Zacharias.

Restructuring of legal aid offices was made necessary when the province announced significant cuts to legal aid last January.

Attorney-General Geoff Plant announced a reduction from \$88.3 million this year to just under \$54 million within three years.

The provincial government collects money from a special 7.5 per cent tax on lawyers' fees which is used to pay for legal aid.

Money to pay for those services is also collected from transfer payments from the federal government.

Last year the provincial government collected over \$90 million dollars from the special tax on lawyers' fees and another \$9 million in federal transfer payments to fund legal aid.

The Legal Services Society was quick to point out that while Attorney-General Geoff Plant was in the opposition, he accused the former NDP government of diverting millions of dollars from the lawyers' fee tax for other purposes.

April 5 the provincial government announced a \$3.7 million one-time grant to LSS.

Some of that money is earmarked for "family law initiatives", but Zacharias said nobody in his office knows exactly what that means yet.

It may allow lawyers to finish off files that were in progress when the cuts were announced, he added.

The law society says it has lost confidence in Geoff Plant as British Columbia's Attorney-General.

## Closures may cause problems for low income people, says lawyer

LEGAL AID services in Terrace are going to be delivered in a whole new way in light of massive restructuring to how those services are provided around the province.

The Terrace L'Ax Ghels legal aid office is one of 60 slated to close by the end of August.

Those offices will be replaced by seven regional centres operated by the Legal Services Society of B.C. and 24 satellite offices where employees will make referrals for legal services.

Local lawyer Barry Zacharias estimates 1,500 applications for legal aid are processed in Terrace each year.

"Clients are typically low income, disadvantaged and many are women.

Anticipated cuts include legal representation for all family cases where violence is not involved, legal representation for all poverty law cases and all summary advice services.

"Frankly there's a concern that people simply won't be represented," Zacharias said.

He estimates basic custody issues, access problems, spousal support and similar issues - which may no longer be covered - account for about half his workload.

When the cuts go through, criminal and youth criminal matters will likely continue to be covered.

Zacharias said the restructuring of offices and services around the province could mean people in smaller communities

**"These are people who are passionately concerned about getting people representation - it's not just a job."**

Zacharias says the closure of legal aid offices is going to have a dramatic affect on the people who need those services.

The L'Ax Ghels Community Law Centre here deals with family issues such as temporary custody, poverty issues such as people who need help with employment insurance claims, issues of foreclosures and youth and adult criminal matters.

But with drastic cuts to funding come cuts to services too, says Zacharias.

The government plans to amend the Legal Services Society Act in the spring sitting of the legislature which will outline which services will be cut.

may suffer.

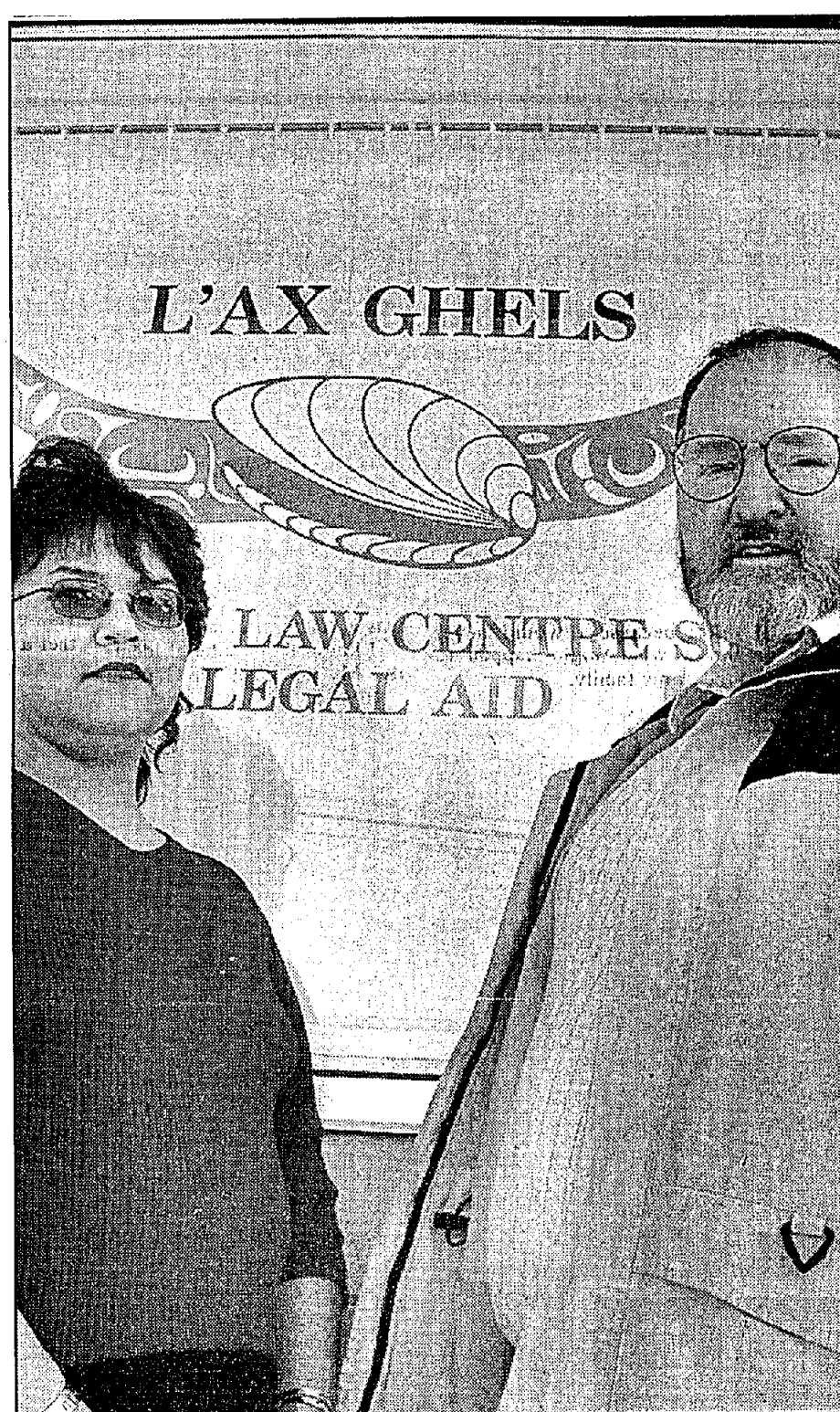
The issue of access to justice is further exasperated by the closure of several courthouses around the province.

Low income clients in places such as Kitimat, where the court house is slated to close, will have transportation problems, Zacharias says.

"Now they're going to have to get from Kitimat to Terrace and there's no bus service."

He added crown counsel and defence will also have to figure out how their out of town witnesses will get to Terrace.

It's not known what will happen to the seven employees at the L'Ax Ghels office once it is closed and



L'AX GHELS Community Law Centre in Terrace is one of 60 legal aid offices closing this summer. Michelle Angus (left) is an intake worker at the local office and Barry Zacharias (right) is a lawyer there. SARAH A. ZIMMERMAN PHOTO.

the new centre opens in September.

Zacharias says the employees there care very

much about the fate of their clients in the Terrace area.

"These are people who

are passionately concerned about people getting representation, it's not just a job," he said.

## Lawyers, judges in attack mode

THE PROVINCIAL government's budget-cutting decision to close 24 courthouses, including the one in Kitimat, and to reduce legal aid monies has placed the province's Attorney-General, Geoff Plant, in direct conflict with fellow lawyers and with judges.

Two weeks ago, the Law Society of B.C., the governing body for the B.C. legal profession, had to postpone meetings across the province called to discuss the government's actions and to vote on a no-confidence motion against the Attorney-General. There wasn't enough space in the meeting rooms rented in the larger centres.

And in correspondence between Plant and Chief Provincial Court Judge Carol Baird Egan, the latter has termed the planned courthouse closures as "unlawful."

Plant has relieved some of the pressure by reaching an agreement with the Canadian Bar Association's B.C. branch to study the planned courthouse closures and legal aid cuts. Both parties call the agreement a framework for "constructive engagement" in the attempt to find ways of easing the impact of the closures and cuts.

Plant has suggested some communities scheduled to lose their courthouses could have the benefit of circuit courts. These are already in place in some smaller communities around the province and feature a travelling party of judges, lawyers and support staff.

CORRESPONDENCE FOR THE TERRACE STANDARD

## The Mail Bag

### Referendum puzzle

Dear Sir:

The referendum on treaty negotiations is causing much consternation in determining how to vote in light of the arguments around the legitimacy of the referendum's questions. I have, to this point, decided that my only response can be (and I would write this across the ballot itself) that I find the ambiguities around the referendum too controversial to be able to answer the questions with a clear conscience.

It seems that there has simply been too little care taken to create questions that satisfy the sense of fair representation that is fundamental to referenda. Compare the disputes around the phrasing of the Parti Quebecois referenda; do we really want the same strife here as has happened around them?

I would like to know how people think about the sense that, in international law, First Nations can still be considered independent states. Unabsorbed in the standard ways of conquest or agreement, except as that agreement has occurred informally by passive consent and frequently coerced acceptance of proffered goods, the legitimacy of the referendum is questionable as it refers to possession of and activity on land that has never been ceded formally.

As the situation is imaginable from the referendum, I could, hoping for a positive reply to question No. 1 ("Private property should not be expropriated for treaty settlements"), now buy land for speculation or any other reason without concern for secure legal title as it could be imagined by international law. What support and security would the B.C. government offer me if the Tsimshian decided to adjudicate their land claim and even statehood before international law?

The anticipated creation of the Palestinian state may offer a precedent currently unimaginable but entirely applicable and beneficial for a Tsimshian claim. That question No. 6 ("Aboriginal self-government should have the characteristics of local government, with powers delegated from Canada and British Columbia") is asked at all suggests the uncertainty around this issue of statehood.

I believe there are answers and that there are people in the northwest who have worked through some of the ambiguities of the issues the referendum attempts to resolve. I invite them to state how have they done so, and I invite others to ask questions that, if considered, would help ease the conscience and decide the referendum on something other than the number of spoiled ballots.

David Heinemann, Terrace, B.C.

### What an irony

Dear Editor:

If you just scan the headlines of the April 10 issue of *The Terrace Standard* and then discover the letter to the editor from Steve Alvey, you can't help but notice the irony.

"Trustees blame government for chaos," "Massive changes coming at the college," "Correction centre closes," "Delay in school closures means additional layoffs". Then there is the editorial that questions why we still don't have mammography services and beside it a cartoon on the referendum and the absence of what would have been a good ninth question for Campbell to ask.

Then there is an article about the new bench elementary which will not open due to an education funding freeze and a page later the head of NWBC, which will get the assets of SCI for a song, gives our elected officials what amounts to a one-fingered salute.

When the NDP took over in 1991 they were left a deficit of \$2.4 billion by the Socreds. The last budget of the NDP had a surplus of \$1.5 billion dollars confirmed by the Auditor General. The Liberals turned that into the biggest deficit in B.C.'s history. Perhaps they were miffed that we only left them a surplus of \$1.5 billion. Then they gave us a higher provincial sales tax, higher MSP premiums, increased rural property taxes, higher Pharmacare fees, reduced MSP coverage, cuts to services to seniors, higher tuition fees, health and education funding freezes which turn out to be reductions, school closures, court house closures, elimination of employment programs for youth, reduced minimum wage, cuts to legal aid increased tolls on ferries and the list goes on.

This is the cost of Campbell's reckless tax cuts. This is result of political rhetoric like Alvey's that compares social democracy in Canada with communism in Cuba, and Russia. The kind of nonsense that puts New Zealand with China. He might want to read a few articles on the New Zealand experience or talk to someone who lives there.

Could we then be justified in comparing the Campbell regime with that of Augusto Pinochet in Chile? The disappeared will be all those who fall through the holes in our social safety net; holes that are being created by cuts in services to children and families. Hey, if it works for Steve Alvey ...

Helmut Giesbrecht, Terrace, B.C.

### Bed sores

Dear Sir:

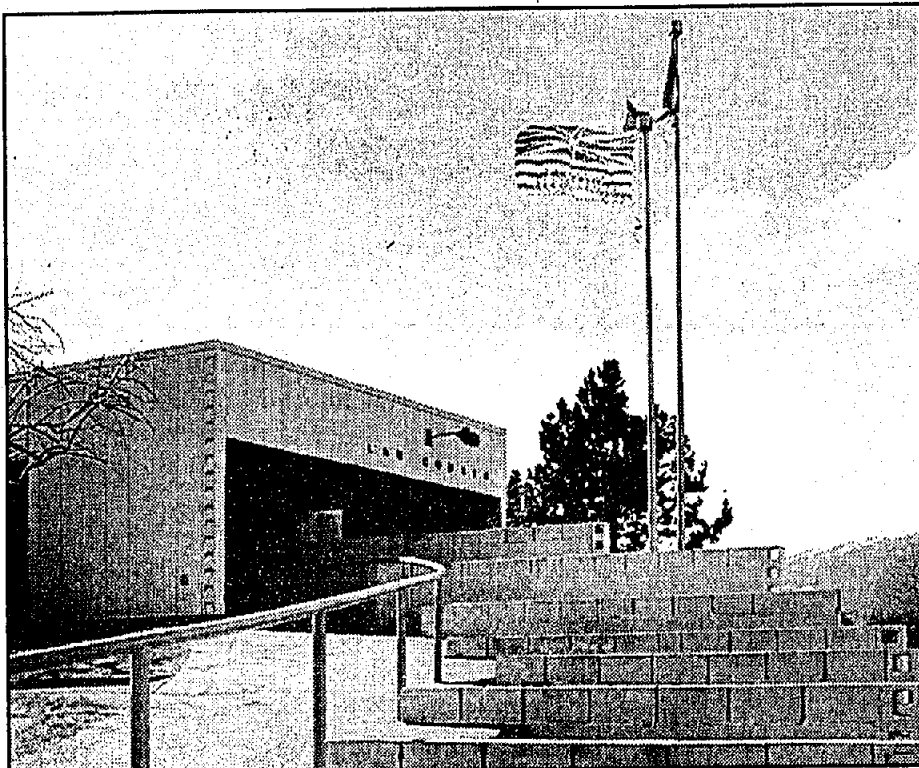
I received a nasty phone call in response to a letter to the editor I wrote about the cost of buying hospital beds. It certainly cleared up that those \$7,000-plus hospital beds were not paid from the B.C. Medical Plan. They were paid for by a Terrace service club.

It certainly would be nice if somebody can explain if it was warranted or wise to pay such a large sum of money. The question remains: Are those beds gold-plated? It looks as somebody along the line was a good talking salesman who knew his business.

Manfred Bader, Thornhill, B.C.

### About the Mail Bag

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THE COURTHOUSE here in Terrace is to become a bit busier in June when its counterpart in Kitimat closes. The closure in Kitimat and 23 others planned for elsewhere in the province have angered judges and lawyers.



# Referendum half over

## Ballots in now top 500,000

NEARLY a quarter of treaty referendum ballots distributed had been returned as of last week.

Elections B.C. officials said more than 500,000 ballots had been mailed back so far of the 2.1 million distributed at the beginning of April.

The deadline is 4:30 p.m. May 15 for ballots to arrive at Elections B.C. offices to be counted, said Jennifer Miller of Elections B.C.

"That's actually to our office - not postmarked," she said.

But she noted people can also drop the ballots off to any government agent office by the same deadline.

The counting of ballots begins May 16, she said, and the final results should be released by July 3.

There's been extensive debate among groups opposed to the referendum on principle as to whether referendum opponents should return their ballots spoiled, with no votes, or not return them at all.

That could mean a significant number of voters are waiting until closer to the deadline to decide what they'll do.

Voting in the treaty referendum will not yet be finished before another vote, of sorts, is underway. An initiative on changing B.C.'s electoral system to one using proportional representation will begin May 13.

Proponent Adriane Carr, the leader of the B.C. Green Party, will have 90 days to gather signatures of supporters.

Miller said the initiative must collect signatures of at least 10 per cent of registered voters in each of B.C.'s 79 electoral

districts to succeed and force the government to change the voting system.

Under the existing first-past-the-post system, the candidate in each constituency with the most votes wins the seat.

Under proportional representation, the number of seats each party gets is linked to the percentage of the popular vote it gets.

In the 1996 election the Liberals would have formed the government rather than the NDP under proportional representation. And in last year's election the size of the Liberal majority would have been smaller, with the NDP, Green Party and potentially other smaller parties getting more seats.

After the initiative ends, Elections B.C. will have only a brief respite before Nov. 18 - the first day recall petitions may be launched to remove sitting MLAs.

## U.S. bombing of our soldiers angers mom

A LOCAL MOTHER with a son in the military says she's alarmed by last week's incident in which four Canadian soldiers were killed by a U.S. warplane in Afghanistan.

Rachel Almer says the 'friendly fire' incident raises troubling questions about the entire military operation and Canada's involvement in it.

"It's deplorable," Almer said. "These guys are taking the lives of not only their own side but us."

The four Canadian troops were killed and

eight more were injured when a U.S. F-16 dropped a 500-pound bomb on them. The Canadians were on a live-fire training exercise, but the pilot somehow believed they were the enemy.

Almer's son, 24-year-old Morgan Bute, has already served with the Canadian Armed Forces in Kosovo and is now undergoing specialized training in Ontario.

Almer fears he could see action in Afghanistan.

"My sons and other people's sons are in line,"



Rachel Almer

she said. "What is the government going to do about protecting its soldiers and their families?"

Canada is being used as a puppet of the U.S., she said. "The Canadians right now are being led around by the nose."



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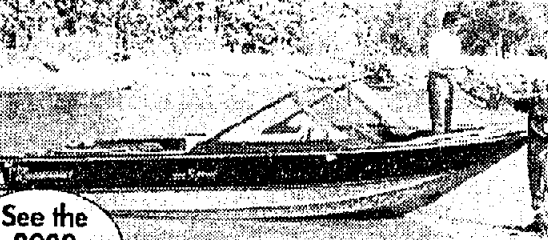
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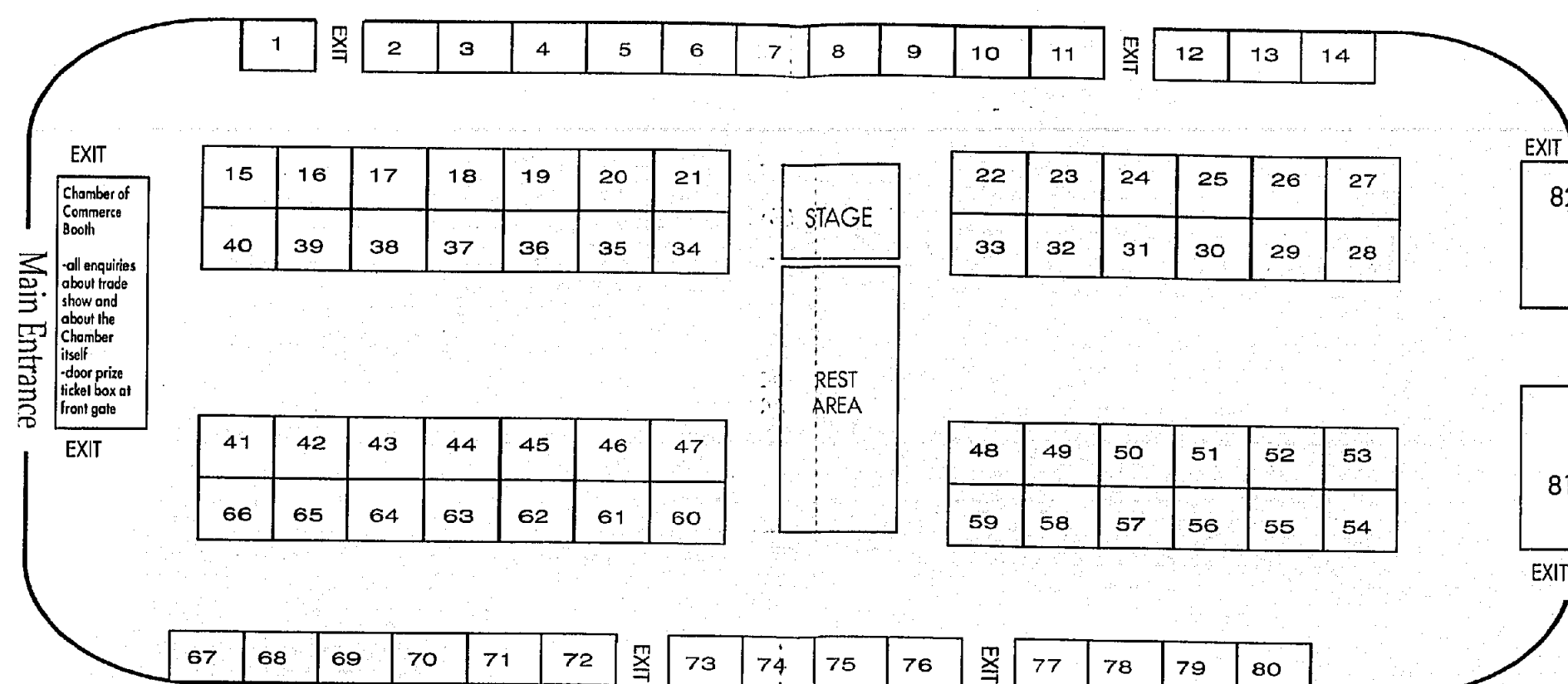
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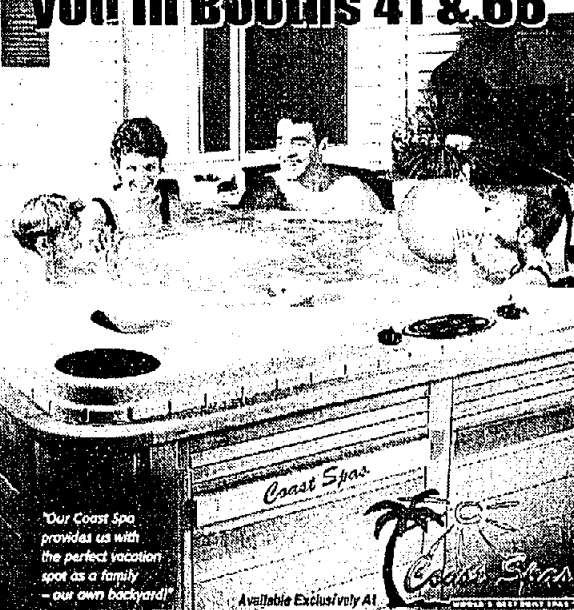
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The answer is because they are proud of being part of an organization that plays such a role in the community.

That begs the question -what is that role? The official description is: "A Chamber of Commerce is a voluntary organization established to promote civic, commercial industrial and agricultural progress of the community and all levels of government."

The simple version says so much more. The Chamber exists to make any community a better place to live. Period. A Chamber of Commerce provides an avenue for the business people in a community to create a positive business environment. It also provides the local business community with a vehicle to promote their region to the outside world - either for tourism or business investment. It then serves to help people find their way when they arrive.

The Chamber provides an opportunity for those people who create local jobs and drive the local economy to work with government and the public to build a better community. The Community Chamber works closely with the municipal and regional governments. The provincial Chamber acts as an umbrella organization to lobby the provincial government on issues of mutual concern to all chambers, and the Canadian chamber serves a similar role at a national

level. The chamber speaks for the business community at public hearings, to the media and behind closed doors. They are the VOICE OF BUSINESS.

When a business joins the Chamber, they can learn about rising government issues that affect business, and add their voice to the chambers efforts to address them. Equally important is that the Chamber can then support them on the issues that concern their business. When a business joins the Chamber, they help make their community - and their business - healthy and prosperous.

Because Chambers are business organizations there are less altruistic benefits to membership. There are excellent networking opportunities at monthly luncheons and other special events.

A Chamber provides business people the opportunity to get to know their peers in the local community. They can interact with them, make contacts, and give their business greater exposure to those who are its likely clientele.

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Because the Chambers are business organizations, they provide a number of benefits strictly geared to eh business community. One of the key services is training. They provide learning opportunities and seminars that help small business to operate more efficiently. Whether its computers or accounting, the chamber can

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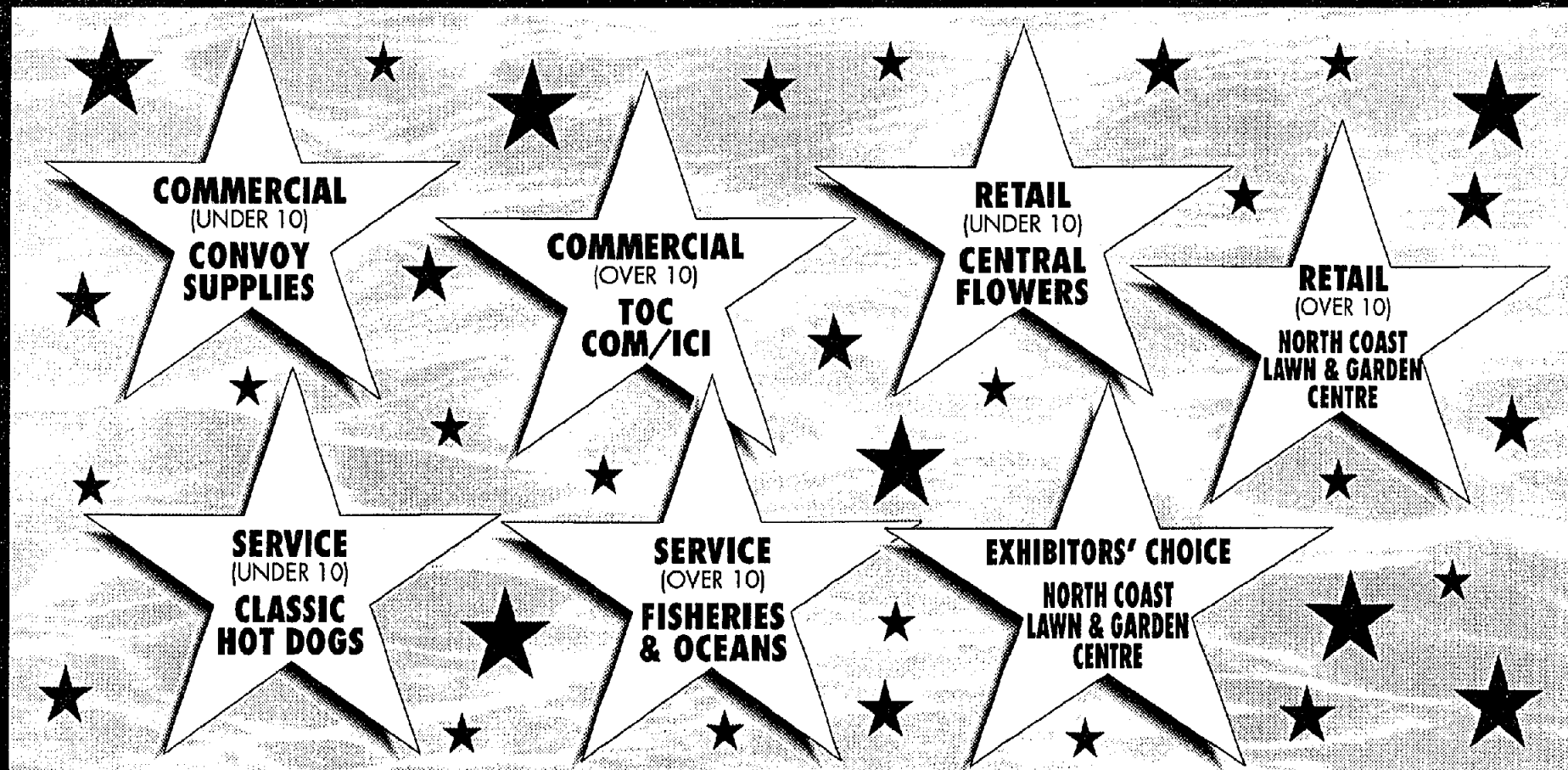
These are not the only benefits. Chambers are service organizations, so they are always looking for ways to better serve their membership.

This brings us back to our original question. Why join the Chamber?

It seems clear now that there are far more reasons to join a chamber than there is not to. In the long run, however, whether you join to have in impact in your community, or to gain more direct benefits, it seems that belonging to your Chamber is simply GOOD BUSINESS.

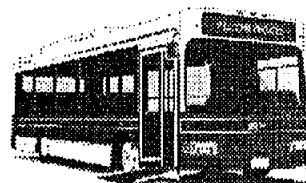
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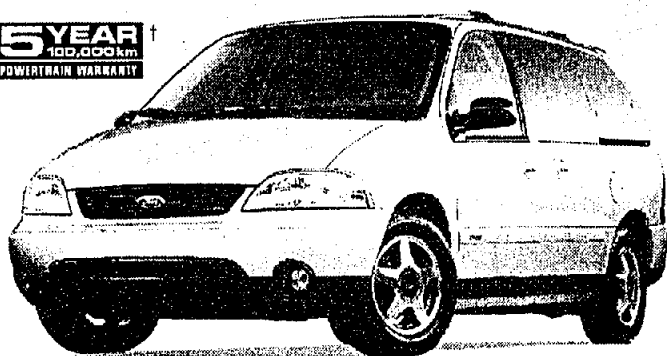
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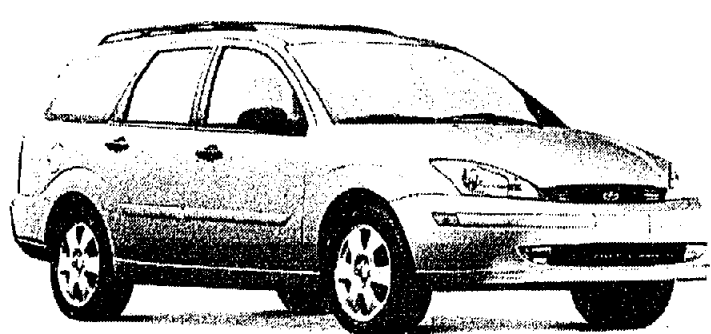
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## Letters to the editor

# Priest will be missed

Dear Sir:

I am deeply saddened by the events which have stunned the parishioners of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

I believe most of us would not stand very well in the light of public scrutiny assuming skeletons in your 20 to 30 year-old closet were made available for viewing.

Undoubtedly, sexual misconduct amongst trusted authorities is a blight upon society. The same has also become the witch hunt of the 21st century.

Four hundred years ago witches were guilty until proven innocent. And their innocence was often proclaimed only after intense public persecution and punishment beyond the point of resuscitation.

Today an industry thrives on dredging up past allegations. There are mega dollars to be made by individuals claiming abuse through their legal advisors and by the media which often thrives by sensationalizing the truth.

I do not know the truth about Fr. Joseph Lang's past. Nor does anyone in the Diocese of Prince George. All I know is that an allegation was made against him some 20 years ago in the diocese of Cleveland, Ohio.

The allegation was investigated and Fr. Lang was returned to his ministry shortly thereafter.

The question for me at this present hour is do I use my imagination to conjure up the worst possible scenarios within the extremely limited information that is known or do I use my imagination to believe the best about some-

## No to No. 6

Dear Sir:

At the Nisga'a initial ceremony hundreds of little Canadian flags were waved by Nisga'a of all ages. They had negotiated their way into Canada at last.

When settlers were a minority in British North America, treaties were made between nations, an important point with today's west coast nations whose parents didn't have a chance to enter into treaties. A treaty is not a municipal charter.

The answer to question No. 6 is "no".

Margaret  
Vanderberg,  
Terrace, B.C.

## No to No. 1

Dear Sir:

Question 1 of the treaty referendum is an attempt by the Liberal government to incite racism. First Nations people have insisted over and over again that private property is not on the table.

Why else would the government raise the spectre of appropriation of private property unless they wanted to increase the fears of non-aboriginal people? This is a shameful red herring and it disparages the honour of First Nations Treaty negotiators as it implies that they have lied to the public.

I will not participate in this blatant attempt to derail the treaty negotiations.

Maureen Bostock,  
Terrace, B.C.

## Likes his picture in paper

Dear Sir:

Mr. Les Watmough seems to think it is easy to sell your vote (*The Terrace Standard*, April 10, 2002.)

I've got news for him. I haven't noticed too many people beating a path to my door to buy my vote.

I think he just likes to get his picture in the paper.

Lindsey Burnett,  
Terrace, B.C.

one until proven otherwise?

I have found Fr. Joseph Lang to be a blessing in our parish. He had fulfilled all his pastoral duties with a kind and merciful heart.

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loves to laugh and has brought an abundance of smiles and laughter to the faces of his parishioners.

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Gordon Schuss,  
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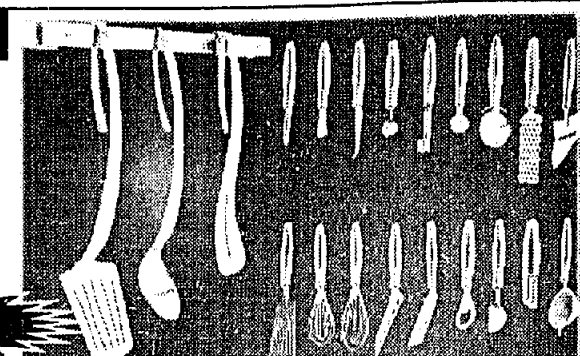
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# B.C. blew chance to use SCI wood to pay for treaties: Gitxsan

By JEFF NAGEL  
THE PROVINCE squandered a golden opportunity to use Skeena Cellulose timber to pay for eventual treaty settlements across northwestern B.C., one aboriginal leader says.

Elmer Derrick, chief negotiator for the Gitxsan, says he and others repeatedly lobbied Victoria — without success — to consider using SCI forest licences it already owned to help settle land claims.

Rather than sell the whole operation to NWBC Timber and Pulp, he says, some or all of Skeena's forest licences could have been given instead to the Tsimshian, Gitanyow, Gitksan and Wet'suwet'en.

The timber would then have counted as a major chunk of future treaty settlements for those native groups — like money in the bank that the government wouldn't have to pay later.

And Derrick said it would have been worth much more than the \$6 million the province will get from the sale to NWBC.

"Instead of giving away everything to [Dan] Veniez and [George] Petty for \$6 million they could have wrapped everything up as a \$60 million asset in treaty-related measures," Derrick said.

What's worse, he says, is Victoria may well have to pay again to get the timber back when it is needed for treaty settlements, or else face claims for compensation.

"They're going to find out they're going to have to deal with our forestry interests and they're going to have to go back and buy some volume back from Veniez and Petty at inflated costs," he said.

"And the whole treaty process is going to be expensive again."

Derrick said he remains hopeful that the provincial government may rethink how it's selling the company before it's too late.

He said the government could still have reasonably

sold off SCI's mills separately.

Fibre flow agreements can guarantee Skeena the right of first refusal to the timber. And conditions tying some timber to local mills would have remained in place.

"It was a cheap date for everyone," he said. "It would have made us happy. We certainly would

he said the idea seemed to get lost in the shuffle as Victoria negotiated with multiple buyers over the past several months.

For four years while the government held majority ownership of Skeena — under both the NDP and now the Liberals — such a scenario was possible, Derrick says.

"These people in Vic-

are transferred.

As a result, Veniez has been meeting with native leaders.

But Derrick said he still has concerns and the meetings did not amount to adequate consultation.

He said Veniez refused to release his business plan.

Derrick said that's important to assess the risk that Veniez and Petty will bankrupt the operations as happened under their prior company, Repap Enterprises.

He said he's also trying to determine whether NWBC will be required to shoulder SCI's full tree planting requirements.

"We don't want to be left with a bunch of weeds," he said. "We have to make sure the forest out there is not left devastated."

**"They're going to have to go back and buy some volume back from Veniez and Petty at inflated cost."**

have kept all the profits here and enabled all the contractors to go back to work."

Officials in premier Gordon Campbell's office liked the idea, as did enterprise minister Rick Thorpe, Derrick said. But

toria seem so hell bent on fighting the Indians they don't see the opportunity for all of us to work together," Derrick said.

A court ruling earlier this year indicated aboriginal groups must be consulted when forest licences

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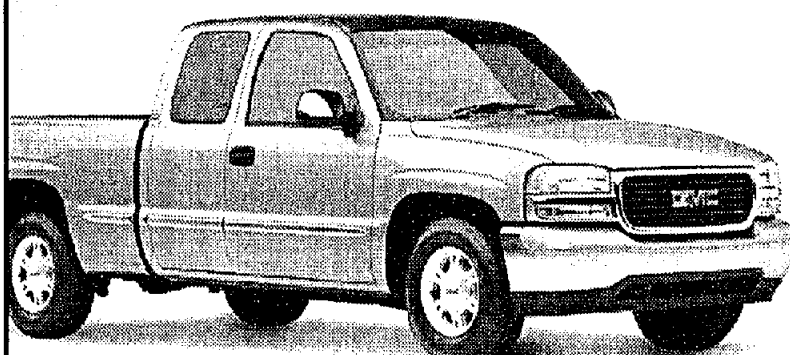
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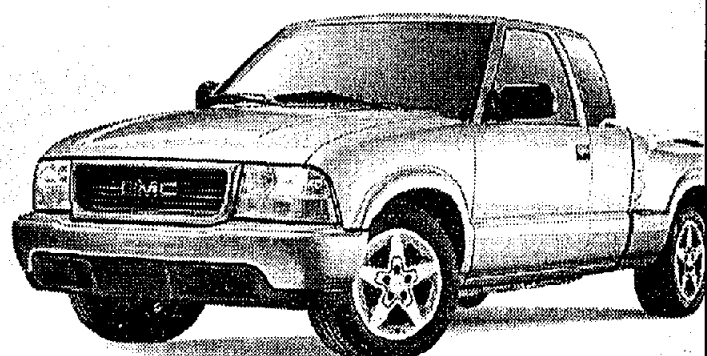
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## Hawkair buys its two planes

### Expansion to three in sight

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The local airline's partners tried hard two years ago when they were first getting off the ground to buy rather than lease their planes.

But financing eluded them then and they had to settle for a more expensive lease arrangement.

That ended this month with the vendor-financed purchase of the planes from IMP Group of Halifax.

"This puts us into an equity position and frees up capital for continued expansion," said co-owner Rod Hayward. The two planes are worth a combined \$12 million.

"Getting into a position where we're now building equity in the airplanes is a significant milestone in the operations," said partner Dave Menzies. "We've now got some funds that we can use on other projects."

The company is actively looking to buy a third Dash-8, he said, that would be used to increase the frequency on its routes in and out of Smithers and Prince Rupert.

"We are training eleven new flight attendants and we're training half a dozen new pilots starting next week," Menzies said. Training will take six weeks.

"By the time they're through their training we hope to have an airplane for them to fly," he said.

The new round of hiring will boost Hawkair's staff size to about 80 employees, Menzies said. That's almost double the level it was at a year ago, prior to the latest expansion in the fall. It pushes the local company's payroll to well over \$2 million.

Menzies said some people have warned they may be expanding too quickly.

"We don't really think so," he said. "What we're talking about doing is giving Smithers and Rupert the level of service that they need."

The new plane won't come from IMP Group. They're still considered a loyal Hawkair partner, but the Halifax supplier has simply run out of airplanes.

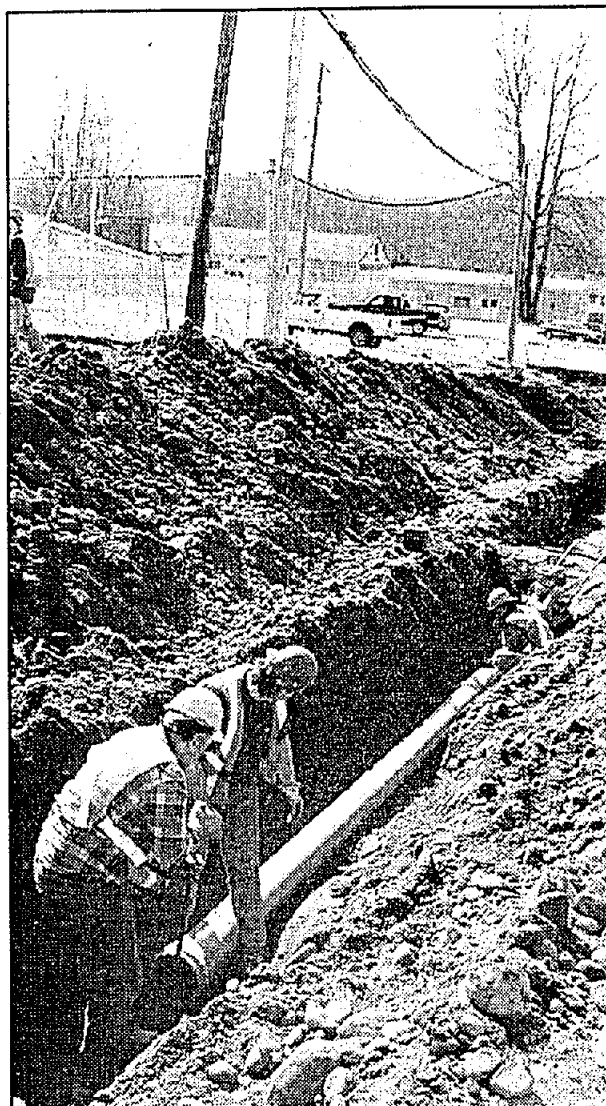
"We're basically in the open market for a Dash-8 now, and there are a number of them available," Menzies said.

Menzies credits the airline's success to its staff and the loyalty and support of northwest residents.

"These planes really belong to all of us," he said.



Dave Menzies



## Road building

CONSTRUCTION is underway on the rebuilding of a section of Apsley St. Workers with Farko Contracting had excavated the roadbed and were laying water lines last week. The repaving is expected to be finished by mid-May.

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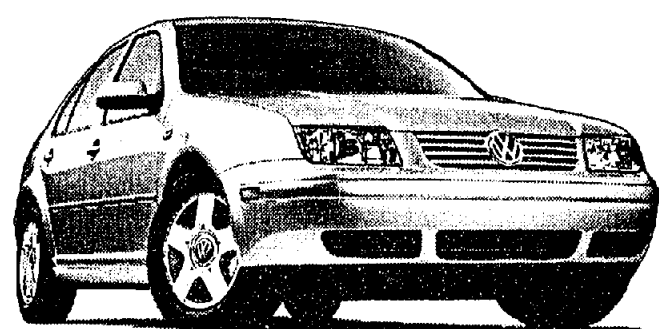
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# Less severance for health executives

NEW EXECUTIVES HIRED by the newly-created health authorities can't expect lucrative severance provisions, says health services minister Colin Hansen.

While he says taxpayers should anticipate paying good money for good people, they won't be taking massive amounts of cash away from them if fired or if their jobs disappear.

The province is putting together a series of contract guidelines following the \$700,000 paid out last March to a senior health care administrator dismissed when her job was eliminated when the now-defunct South Fraser health region was merged with a number of other health regions.

Pat Zanon received \$465,400 — two years' salary — but also a healthy amount for banked vacation time and unused sick time.

The two years' salary is considered fairly normal for senior executives, said Hansen.

But the amount of vacation time that can be banked and then paid out has been severely cut back.

In Zanon's case, the banked vacation time dated back to the early 1990s.

"As of 1998, it was eliminated by the previous government," said Hansen of the ability to bank large amounts of unused vacation time.

The amount of vacation time Zanon could accumulate existed in her contract prior to 1998. Hansen doubts there are many, if any, bureaucrats who still have provisions giving them that kind of benefit.

Zanon's sick leave payout worked out to 50 per cent of what was accumulated.

"That kind of language was consistent with the language in collective agreements," said Hansen.

"We're reviewing that to see if it is

appropriate."

Hansen did note that the pressures and job expectations on senior health care executives are such that they'll face burn out if they don't take full advantage of vacation time allotted to them.

The guidelines will apply to all senior executives hired in the provincial public sector.

It's not yet known what kind of bills taxpayers will face once the new health authorities have finished putting together their senior executive levels.

The executives now working for the Northern Health Authority are, for the most part, senior administrators and others who worked for smaller health care authorities.

Those smaller authorities were rolled up into the larger one.

Hansen said severance provisions in contracts of departing executives will be honoured.

Patty Stewart of the Northern Health Authority did not have immediate details of severance provisions of its senior executives.

"But the financial people have told me there is nothing like that \$700,000," said Stewart in referring to Zanon's severance package.



Colin Hansen

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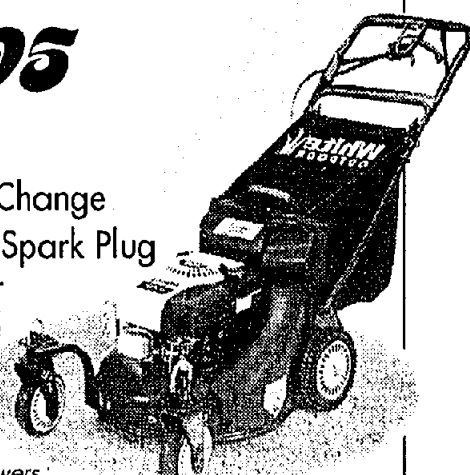
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If anyone has information regarding these shootings contact the Terrace RCMP detachment at 638-7400.

If you wish to remain anonymous call Crimestoppers at 635-TIPS.

## Youth gets probation

A TERRACE youth is on two years probation and has a curfew after he pleaded guilty in Terrace provincial court Apr. 9 to charges connected to a Benner St. home invasion in February.

The youth, who cannot be named, is the fifth of five people who pleaded guilty to unlawfully being in a home and theft under \$5,000.

The four adults involved in the home invasion were sentenced Mar. 22 after they too pleaded guilty.

All five men received a suspended sentence, two years probation and a curfew confining them at home between 11 p.m. and 7 a.m.

Police said all five culprits also have several conditions of their probation they must adhere to.

They must not consume alcohol and may not have contact with each other or the victim.

The group was told to leave a house party by the occupant of the home Feb. 18, police said.

They all returned later that night and forced their way into the home attempting to tie the 17-year-old occupant up with duct tape, police said.

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A copy of the Pesticide Use Permit amendment request and maps may be viewed at BC Hydro offices in Terrace, Kitimat, Prince Rupert, and Prince George. For additional information, contact Darrell Devlin, R.P.F., M.P.M. Regional Vegetation Biologist in Prince George at 250 561-4887.

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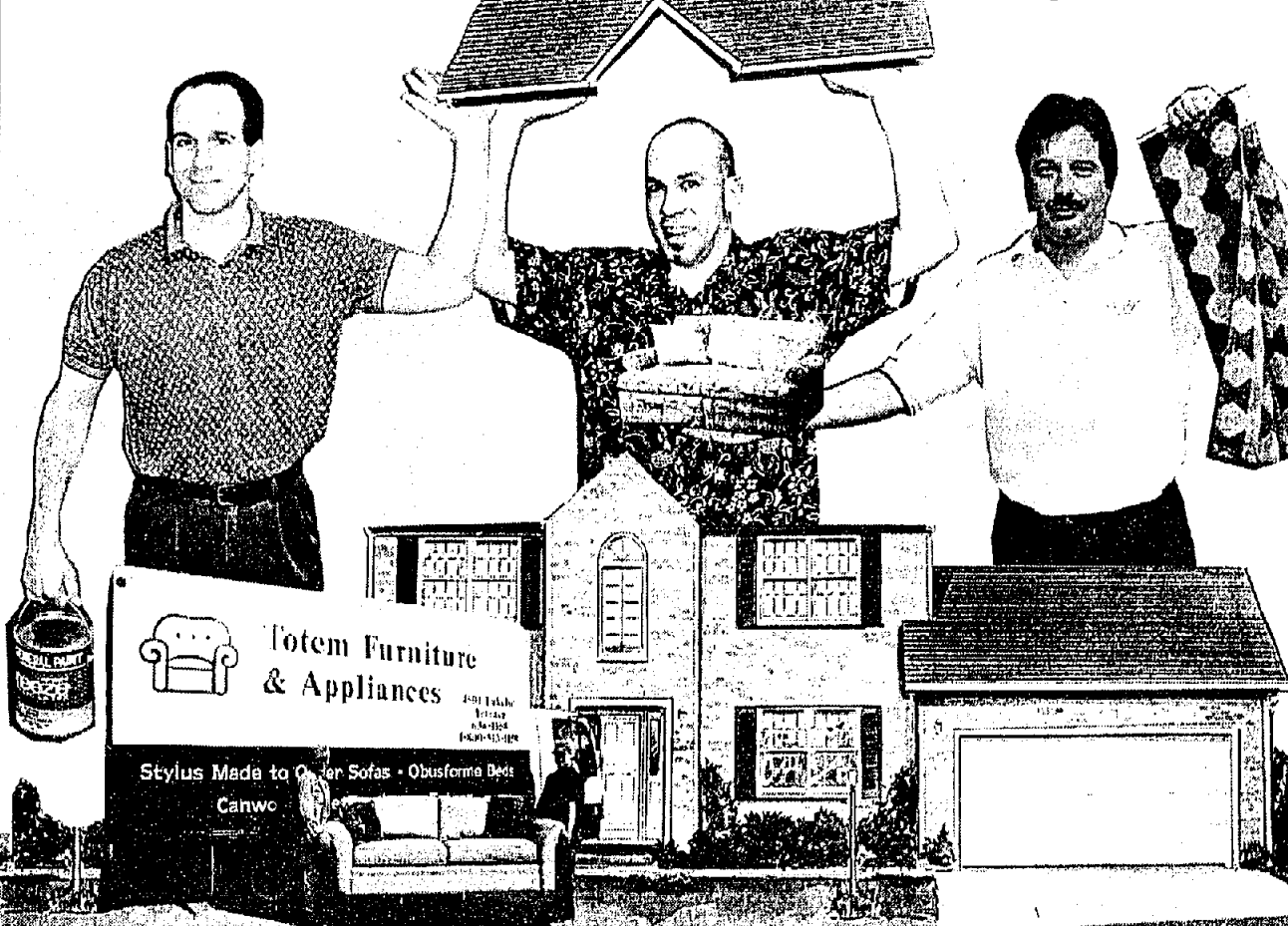
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# Kitwanga nursery turns away gardeners

By JENNIFER LANG  
A NORTHERN gardener's rite of spring is no longer.

The Skeena Valley Nursery in Kitwanga, the largest bedding plant supplier outside of Vancouver, has massively scaled back operations and is no longer selling to the public.

Clifford Goodwill, who owns the family-run nursery with his wife, Fern, said they have already had to turn people away this season.

"The word needs to get out," he said last week.

For hundreds of gardeners in search of a wide selection and reasonable prices, an annual trip to the nursery in Kitwanga was a tradition.

But after 15 years, the Goodwills have scaled back operations to just one-sixth of their former

size and will only sell product wholesale.

While the nursery produced as many as 30,000 plants in previous years, production is now down to just 5,000.

Those will be sold wholesale to Prince George, Whitehorse, and Kitimat.

Goodwill said a number of factors were responsible for the decision, including age - he's 66 - and heating costs.

For the past four years the nursery has relied on wood chips, also known as hog fuel, to heat the greenhouses over the winter.

"When the sawmills went down, that made a difference in the availability," he said.

The news will come as a disappointment to gardeners across the north who made the annual trek to Kitwanga for bedding plants.

Goodwill said last year in May

750 customers came through the till on the weekend before Mother's Day.

"A lot of people like it just for the trip," he said.

"We've enjoyed the challenge, and we've enjoyed the people," he said, adding he's grateful for their patronage over the past 15 years.

The nursery's scale was impressive. With 14 greenhouses, more than 30,000 plants were produced annually.

Customers also liked the wide selection. For example, the nursery grew between 60 and 80 varieties of petunias, and as many as 50 varieties of marigolds.

"Put it to you this way, if you opened up a seed catalogue, there would be very few varieties, if any, that we didn't have," he said.

The Skeena Valley Nursery was also known for its displays of hanging baskets. As many as

1,000 hanging baskets would be on display at a time, Goodwill said.

He's confident gardeners in the Terrace will continue to find enough selection at local retail outlets.

"I think there's enough competitiveness and enough supply to keep the price low," he said.

The nursery has sold wholesale to retailers in Smithers, Terrace, Prince Rupert and Kitimat in the past.

It will still supply plants to outlets in Kitimat, Prince George and even Whitehorse.

The seasonal operation employed between eight and 12 people part time, with two to three remaining for the entire season. One employee has worked there for 12 years.

"We think it's just a good time to step out and see what happens to the plant world," Goodwill said.

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## College shifts aim to draw more students

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She said program changes designed to attract more students lie ahead.

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The first of five inter sessional university transfer courses offered in Terrace and Prince Rupert begin April 29.

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NWCC plans to offer a slate of timber frame courses, and short-term professional development trades courses. It's also considering reinstating a millwright's program.

NWCC is now working on a degree program in environmental science through the University of Northern B.C. Science courses would be offered in Terrace and Smithers next September.

Another proposal is to offer adult basic education courses to prepare students in Queen Charlotte City and Masset for an eventual bachelors degree program they would complete at UNBC.

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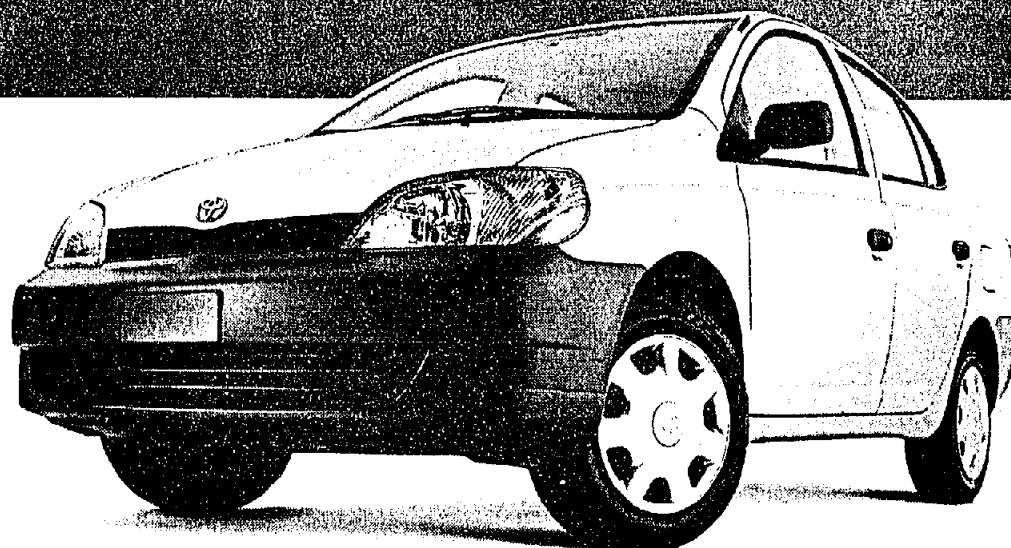
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JUST A THOUGHT  
EV BISHOP

## Nothing to fear

I'VE BEEN thinking a lot about fear the past couple of weeks. My thoughts have been triggered in part (large part) by my own fears about my course work and passing, failing, etc. I wanted to figure out, was it really just failing I was afraid of? What did I fear that failing the course would really mean? Thankfully I'm finished the course now and, in case anyone cares to know, I'm fairly confident that I did fine. (Phew!)

Enjoying different performances during the music festival also caused me to contemplate fear. Many of the faces appeared anxious, although perhaps they were just very focussed, before the performances. Once on stage though, the faces changed, relaxed... even smiled! Most performers seemed to enjoy going through their well-practiced routines and songs. It was as if, in just pushing through in spite of their nerves, the performers were able to banish their fears.

For the most part though, I think I muse over the concept of fear often because in my lifetime I have had a lot of it.

In my own life and in other peoples' lives, I generally see fear as a negative thing. Whether it's in the form of performance anxiety, stage fright, jitters while walking down the street at night, obsessing about "what might happen if's" or apprehension about the future, fear has the power to steal joy and to crush dreams by making you to afraid to pursue them.

Of course, a lot of far more serious problems than I've mentioned here are often rooted in fear as well. Most kinds of hatred have some kind of root in fear. Racism, prejudice, bigotry are often fallouts from fear. Why is it that the unknown or unfamiliar is so often so terrifying to us? Why do we immediately assume if something (or someone) seems totally different than us, we need to feel threatened?

Still, I don't think that all fear is totally negative. It can be a great form of protection. I think of this type of fear as "common sense" or occasionally just "intuition" and it applies to those moments when, for whatever reason, I just get a bad feeling about a situation and I respect it... This type of fear kept me from many, unfortunately not all, insane actions as a kid and definitely helped me steer clear of various dangerous spots over the years.

I've also found that fear can be a big motivator. Even fear of failure, UNLESS it's linked to my feelings of self worth, can be helpful. Here the fear is really just having a concept of what I'd like to do and what I'd like not to do, an idea of what I should be able to achieve and knowledge about what could prevent me from obtaining my goals.

At its best, fear can be a great teacher. In looking at my various fears over the years and recent months, I've come to know a lot about myself. I often hate looking into it because my fears say a lot about me and it's often painful to think about who I am, who I was, what events shaped me, etc... but it's infinitely important if I'm ever going to have peace of mind.

**'At its worst, fear (even of seemingly little things) can be completely disabling.'**

At its worst, fear (even of seemingly little things) can be completely disabling. Sometimes when I look at the severe phobias that some people develop, I wonder if the phobias got their roots as un-dealt-with little fears from sometime earlier in the person's life. I have learned through trial and error, hopefully for good now, that by just avoiding the things I'm afraid of, I accomplish nothing and I end up feeling worse than if I tortured myself by facing them in the first place.

Most of us though, whether we've learned from our fears or not, berate ourselves for even having them in the first place. We think that we are somehow weak or inferior when we are plagued by doubts, assailed by insecurities... I've come to realize though that to be afraid is to be human. Not acknowledging our fears or refusing to try to work through them is the real flaw... not having the fears themselves.

To quote Mark Twain, "Courage is resistance to fear, mastery of fear - not absence of fear." I find that so reassuring. I may never be free of fear in this life but I can change how I respond to my fears. By merely naming them and confronting them, I can change how I let them rule and define me. I can be courageous. So can you.

## National Volunteer Week

## A thrifty business

The Hospital Auxiliary's money-making ventures offer a lesson in economy.

By JENNIFER LANG

WHEN IT comes to making every penny count, it's unlikely anyone could top the women in the Mills Memorial Hospital Auxiliary.

The volunteer efforts of just 50 local women translated into more than \$114,000 worth of new equipment for Terrace medical facilities last year.

In 2001, those women logged 8,113 volunteer hours raising big funds for Mills Memorial Hospital and Terraceview Lodge - a few pennies or dollars at a time.

That's time spent working in the Thrift Shop and the Hospital Gift Shop, or other fundraising activities like charity bingo, the annual craft bazaar and raffle, and tag days.

"The Thrift Shop is our biggest money-maker," says Cathy Baxter, who volunteers there every Thursday afternoon.

Customers in search of a fair price find bargain basement prices.

"It ranges from a 25 cent coffee mug to about \$8," Baxter says. "That's about the limit when it comes to clothing."

Not a scrap is wasted; when clothing can't be sold, the buttons and seams are removed and the fabric cut up into strips.

The rags are sold for just 60 cents per pound. Painters and automobile garage owners buy them, Baxter says.

"So, nothing goes to waste. It's all used."

Baxter even sorts buttons and fixes them to cards so they can be sold, too.

Any remaining clothing is packed up twice a year so the Seventh Day Adventist Church can send them to a charity that helps needy people in developing countries across the globe.

The boxes are transported without charge by Bandstra Transportation, a local moving company, to the Adventist Development and



THRIFT STORE volunteers Joan Wright and Cathy Baxter with the new drop box for donations.

Relief Agency (ADRA), in Hope, B.C.

The Hospital Auxiliary owns the Thrift Shop building, so the only overhead costs are for heat and utilities.

The downturn in the local economy hasn't hurt business at the Thrift Store, Baxter says.

In fact, donations of second-hand items are up - likely from people moving away, she suspects.

Revenues - except for heat and utilities at the Thrift Shop, owned in full by the auxiliary - are spent on purchases for the hospital and Terraceview Lodge.

Auxiliary money purchased a patient lift at Mills Memorial, an ICU bed, an operating room surgical table, heated humidifiers, a blood bank fridge and a coloscopy in 2001.

The auxiliary was also able to purchase a new lift and recline chair for Terraceview Lodge, in addition to a patient lift and air purifiers.

The auxiliary distributed another \$1,600 in bursaries to local people continuing their education in the field of medicine, a program that's less well known.

The auxiliary performs other services, too. It loans car seats to new parents at the hospital, where members also take photographs of newborn babies.

If you're interested in being involved with the hospital auxiliary and you have two hours or more per week to spare, you're welcome to volunteer.

Please call Aveline McConnell at 798-2581 or Ruth Shannon at 635-2754 for more information.

Or, you can help support the

auxiliary's fundraising efforts.

About one month ago, the Thrift Shop, located at 4544 Lazzelle Ave., got a new drop box, so people can donate second-hand clothing and household items after hours.

The drop box is located in the parking lot and should help reduce the amount of donations that are left on the doorstep.

Not surprisingly, the auxiliary had some help with materials and labour necessary for making the drop box.

The base and box were donated by B.C. Hydro, and Terrace Interiors donated the paint.

Max Muss did the preparation, welding and painting. Vic Dane of Terrace Steel donated use of the workshop, and David Sarsiat operated the crane used to move the drop box into place.

## Literacy program picks top tutor

AN ADULT literacy program in Terrace has named a 28-year-old consultant its Tutor of the Year.

Kim Hewgill, a volunteer with the Community Readers and Writers program, has tutored since March 2000.

She has a bachelor's degree in forestry from the University of Northern B.C. and is the only senior math and science tutor in the program.

"Gee, I did learn something," she jokes. "All that time in school was not a waste!"

In fact, Hewgill always wanted to work in the field of literacy and was keen to start volunteering as soon as she finished university.

Coordinator Sue Carson says Hewgill is in-

valuable because of her affinity for science and upper level math - most prefer to tutor reading and writing skills or help people learn English as a second language.

Right now Hewgill is working with four learners - all in science and math.

She says she likes the feeling of immense satisfaction she experiences when a learner "gets" a new concept, making the hours of preparation and tutoring



Kim Hewgill

worth it.

Hewgill, who can be seen in the upcoming Terrace Little Theatre play, *Traffic*, says the experience has given her added confidence and patience.

It's also taught her the importance of adapting her methods to the particular needs of a learner, because not everyone learns in the same way.

The Community Readers and Writers program currently has 50 trained tutors.

A tutor training program runs for eight weeks in the fall and again in the winter. For more information, call Sue at the Terrace Volunteer Bureau at 638-1330.

Comic *Someday* tackles serious stuff

By JENNIFER LANG

IT WAS KNOWN as The Scoop.

Children's aid societies came into Canada's native reserves and scooped up babies and children in order to place them in what were deemed more suitable homes.

White homes.

Like most controversial government policies, it was done "in the best interests" of those who were directly involved.

Decades later, the stolen children - raised in white homes - have grown up to feel displaced.

Meanwhile, the families they left behind still nurse deep, tender wounds.

*Someday*, presented Friday and Saturday by Skeena River Players, wades into this emotionally-charged territory.

The award-winning comedic drama, written by Drew Hayden Taylor, takes a closer look at this painful episode of Canadian history through the eyes of a mother and the

SURPRISE! Nedra Lee Prisk, Carolyn McNamara, Annette Krause and Dale Sebastian in a scene from *Someday*, presented Friday and Saturday.

adult daughter she lost so many years ago.

"They would find all kinds of reasons to remove babies from families on reserves," says *Someday* director Marianne Weston.

Anne (Nedra Lee

Prisk), the mother in *Someday*, lost her child after the authorities found her apparently raising the infant alone.

She tried to get her daughter back, to no avail.

Thirty-five years later,

Anne finds out she's won the lottery and decides to spend her winnings tracking down the lost daughter.

It turns out the lost daughter (Carolyn McNamara as Grace) is looking for her, too, and shows up

quite unexpectedly.

"She's 100 per cent aboriginal by blood," Weston says. "But, for all intents and purposes, she's 100 per cent white. She's a lawyer with a good education. And she has no clue what it's like to be on a reserve."

*Someday*, she says, is about how someone deals with huge culture shock.

It's also about the real-life ramifications of cross cultural adoptions between native and non-native communities.

"What have we done by moving these kids and raising them in a completely different society? When they're adults, they don't know who they are. They don't belong in either world."

Weston has found it interesting to watch her four actors - all First Nations - respond to this thought-provoking material.

She thinks audiences here will respond to the play, too, which starts off

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DALE SEBASTIAN as Rodney in *Someday*, presented Friday and Saturday at the R.E. M. Lee Theatre at 8 p.m.

ceeds from this event will be donated to the Terrace Transition House building fund.

## CONCERTS

Singer-songwriter Mae Moore presents a benefit concert 7:30 p.m. June 16 at the R.E.M. Lee Theatre in support of the Terrace Transition House building fund. Tickets at Elan Travel, Sidewalkers and Misty River Books.

Women Say, Women Sing Coffee House, Elks Hall, Saturday April 27 at 7:30 p.m. Featuring talented local singers, poets, groups and musicians. Silent auction featuring artworks by local women. All pro-

## THEATRE

*Someday*, Drew Hayden Taylor's comic drama about an aboriginal woman who wins the lottery - and tries to reunite with the daughter she was forced to give up for adoption, presented by Skeena River Players two nights only, April 26 and 27, at the R.E.M. Lee Theatre. Showtime at 8 p.m. Tickets at Elan Travel, Kitsumkalum Band Office, House of Sim-Oi-Ghets and Skeena River Players home at 4720A Lazelle Avenue.

First Nations playwright Drew Hayden Taylor holds a public play reading at the McColl Playhouse, 3625 Kalum St., at 7:30 p.m. April 30. Admission is free. Co-sponsored by Terrace Little Theatre, Theatre Alive, and Skeena River Players.

Terrace Little Theatre is holding a reading of William Inge's play, *Bus Stop*, on Tuesday, May 7 at 7:30 p.m. at the McColl Playhouse. Come on out and read (or just listen) to this well-known play, which is under consideration for TLT production. Call Nancy at 635-1329 or Marianne at 635-2942 for info. Bring a friend!

Terrace Little Theatre presents *Traffic*, the final show of the season. Anything can happen when a roommate goes AWOL with his share of the rent and a stranger shows up with a mysterious bag. Four 20-something friends share insight and a dose of black humour in this dark comedy, directed by newcomer Jason Marshall. May 16-18, 23-25, 30-31 and June 1 at the McColl Playhouse. Tickets \$14 at Uniglobe Courtesy Travel.

## VISUAL ARTS

Walk-a-bout, an exhibit featuring the works of Terrace artist Peter Dickson, continues at the Terrace Art Gallery until May 12. Art Gallery Hours: Wed. to Sat. from noon to 4 p.m. Friday from noon to 6 p.m. and Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m.

The Terrace Art Gallery's Spring Arts and Craft sale is May 25. Entry forms are available at the art gallery. Deadline is May 17.

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## SATURDAY, APRIL 27

The Caledonia Dry Grad Committee is having a Buck a Book sale. More than 2,000 hard cover books for \$1 each. From 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. April 27 at the Caledonia gym.

Fundraising Auction at Centennial Christian School April 27. Silent auction from 7-8 p.m. Live auction featuring Jack Talstra begins at 8 p.m. Call Julia at 638-8656.

## SUNDAY, APRIL 28

The Skeena Horseshoe Club's Fun Spiel, 1 p.m. at the horseshoe pits besides the Kin Hut. Everyone is welcome to join in the fun. Men, ladies and children. Refreshments will be served. Call Ron at 635-5997 for information.

## TUESDAY, APRIL 30

Volunteers are needed to help organize the Terrace Riverboat Days celebration. If you can give some time, please attend the next committee meeting April 30 at 7:30 p.m. in the city of Terrace council chambers. For more info, call Karlene at 635-2061.

Smoke free logo contest for northern B.C. Deadline is April 30. The winning entry will be chosen on World No Tobacco Day on May 31. Logos should include a blue ribbon. The logo will be used in the annual Blue Ribbon Campaign to promote a smoke free B.C. Send entries to Eleanor Taylor, Regional Tobacco Reduction Coordinator, 300-3rd Ave. West, Ocean Centre Mall, Prince Rupert, B.C., V8J 1L4.

## THURSDAY, MAY 2

Evening presentation, First Nations Awareness Day. Speaker Deanna Nyce will focus on education, parenting and culture from 7-9 p.m. at 4720A Lazelle Ave., in the Lazelle Mini Mall next to Canadian 2 for 1 Pizza. Refreshments will be served. Sponsored by the Skeena Multiculturalism Diversity Project. Everyone welcome to attend. For more information call Vivian or Amber at 638-6394, or at 635-3850 evenings.

## SATURDAY, MAY 4

Annual Women and Development Spring Garage Sale from 8 a.m. to noon, Walsh Ave., All proceeds to women's projects in developing countries. For info, to arrange drop off, or to have your donations picked up, call Alisa at 635-0935 or Brenda at 635-0040.

## TUESDAY, MAY 7

Ladies' Auxiliary Monthly Meeting at the Royal Canadian Legion, May 7 at 7:30 p.m.

## SATURDAY, MAY 11

Perennial Plant Sale May 11 at city hall. Starts at 8 a.m. Sponsored by the Greater Terrace Beautification Society.

Independent Order of Foresters Pancake Breakfast May 11 from 7:30 to 10 a.m. at the parking lot behind City Hall. In conjunction with the Terrace Beautification Society Plant Sale. For info call Avril at 635-7349 after 6 p.m.

Huge garage sale May 11 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. inside the Curling Rink. Concession open for coffee, burgers and hot dogs. Find out about how to rent a table by calling Keith at 635-5233 for more information.

## PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Mood Disorders Association of B.C. welcomes all to the Terrace area support group at 7:30 p.m. on the first and third Mondays of each month. At the 'Stepping Stone' Clubhouse's new location at 102-4450 Lazelle Ave. Contact Allen at 638-8749.

Terrace Little Theatre presents Summer Drama Days 2002. A summer drama youth program for ages 6 to 13 years. July 2-26 or August 6-30 Tuesdays through Fridays, mornings (9 a.m.-12 p.m.) or afternoons (1-4 p.m.) To register, call Nancy at 635-1329, Marianne at 635-2942, or drop in at Uniglobe Courtesy Travel or at 4720A Lazelle Avenue.

If you're interested in forming a Men's Group, send an email along with your phone number to Terracemensgroup@hotmail.com

May is Hospice Month. The Terrace Hospice Society is a non-profit organization offering support to terminally ill people and their families. Local activities include a raffle, displays in the Skeena Mall, Misty River Books and the Terrace Public Library, garage sale May 25, and the Hike for Hospice on June 2. Call 635-4811.

Southside and downtown residents - are you interested in joining a community garden? A community garden is for individuals, kids and families who plant, grow, and harvest a garden together. Share the work and harvest a bounty. Interested? Sponsored by Terrace Anti Poverty Group Society. Call Jennifer at 635-4631 and leave a message.

The Greater Terrace Beautification Society needs donations of perennial plants and pots (preferably 5" in diameter or larger) for fundraising plant sale. Call Judy or Howard at 638-1237.

Do you wish your child behaved differently or that you had more patience? Is parenting a challenge? "Parenting Young Children", a six-session course for parents of children from birth to six years. Mondays April 22- May 27 from 1-3:15 p.m. At the Family Place, 4563 Park Ave. Call 638-1863 to register.

Volunteers are needed to canvas in the Terrace area for the Canadian Cancer Society's door-to-door campaign.

Attention Caledonia Grads of 1982. Our 20-year reunion is scheduled for July 26, 27 and 28. If you're a Cal grad, or know someone who is, please call us for more info. Jacqui Munson at 635-6302 or John Evans at 635-1400. Or log onto [www.grad82.com](http://www.grad82.com)

Is your child starting kindergarten this year? Prekindergarten immunization clinics at the Terrace Health Unit, 3412 Kalum St., May 9, 10 and 16. By appointment. Call 638-2200.

National judging for the Communities in Bloom Contest takes place July 25. Various categories are being judged, including tidiness of the town and community involvement. We need volunteer groups and people willing to donate time on projects. Call Chris at 638-1049 or Steve at Terrace Parks and Rec at 615-3000.

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Tickets available at Elan Travel or Kitsumkalum Reserve

**May**

May 2 - School Board Information Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

May 3 - Dance Performance of Sophia's Dance Studio  
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## Take a bow

TOMORROW, the Terrace Volunteer Bureau holds its annual volunteer appreciation luncheon. The celebration is part of local events timed with National Volunteer Week, April 21-27.

The luncheon takes place from noon to 1 p.m. at the Elks Hall, 2822 Tetrault St.

The Terrace Volunteer Bureau will also have a display at the Skeena Mall this week.

"Volunteering is an integral part of our community," bureau director Sonja Slana says, adding the events of Sept. 11 have sparked renewed interest in volunteerism and giving back to the community.

## Older volunteers give more time, statistics say

JUST SEVEN per cent of Canadians perform most of the volunteer work — 73 per cent — in this country. And older Canadians are putting the most volunteer hours

— even though not as many of them volunteer.

A national survey conducted in 2000 showed volunteers aged 65 and older give an average of 269 hours a year.

The National Survey of Giving, Volunteering and Participating showed volunteers aged 55 to 64, meanwhile, contributed 181 hours a year on average, also a considerable amount.

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## From B1 'It kind of sets you up for the fall'

with a great deal of humour but builds to an emotional wallop.

"Most of the play is very light-hearted, and the development of the relationships between the characters on the reserve is touching and very, very funny," she says.

"It kind of sets you up for the fall, where the tension builds, and you realize there's something much deeper going on."

Skeena River Players has entered *Someday* in the Skeena Zone Drama Festival, taking place at the Mount Elizabeth Theatre in Kitimat this year. It will be presented May 9.

After that, the troupe will take *Someday* on the road, including Prince Rupert on May 18. Weston is also hoping to take the play to Smithers and the Nass Valley.

This is only the second play Skeena River Players has performed. The First Nations theatre company debuted with *The Rez Sisters* last year.

Along with Prisk and McNamara, actors Annette Krause and Dale Sebastian round out the small but talented cast in *Someday*.


Two cast members have previous acting experience, and all of the actors participated in workshops that were a requirement for anyone intending to audi-

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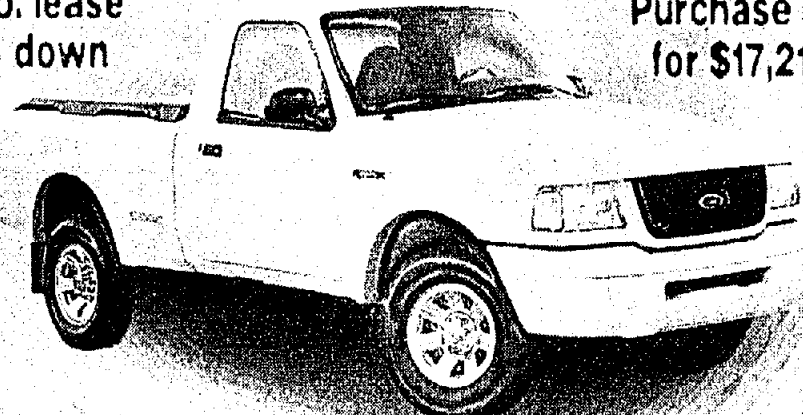
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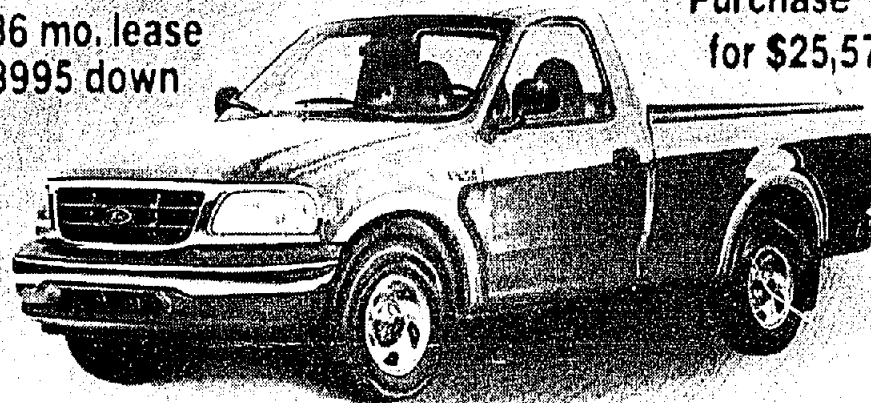
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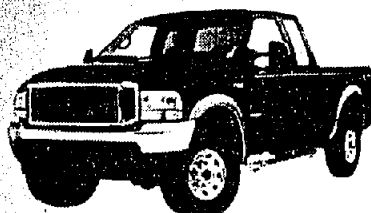
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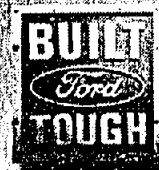
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For 19 years now, the ladies of the Kinettes along with the help from the menfolk of the Kinsmen, always go all out on this special and very popular event. A huge thank you for a job well done to everyone.

Once everyone had arrived and was seated, the afternoon was started with a brief opening by this year's president, Helen Findlayson. Then special guests at the head table were introduced, starting with lovely 2001 Queen of Hearts Addie Turner with her guest brother Roy Nelson and 2001 King of Hearts Otto Lindstrom and wife Fran, then from the R.C.M.P. was former Inspector Doug Wheler and his lovely wife Marilyn and Staff Sergeant Tom Forster and Cori.

Representing the City of Terrace was Rich McDaniel and his wife Lois.

A lovely grace was given by Cheryl Vandermeer before dinner and the Kinsmen were the very gracious servers. About 155 seniors were served dinner.

Everything was just lovely and to all those responsible you can be proud for a wonderful and generous event.

Then some time was spent with drawing of many beautiful prizes. All so generously donated by our kind local merchants.



AT THE SWEETHEART dinner and dance were RCMP officer Tom Forster, 2001 Queen of Hearts Addie Turner, 2002 Queen Lorna Klowak, 2002 King Charlie Oliver and 2001 King of Hearts Otto Lindstrom, flanked by outgoing RCMP Inspector Doug Wheler.

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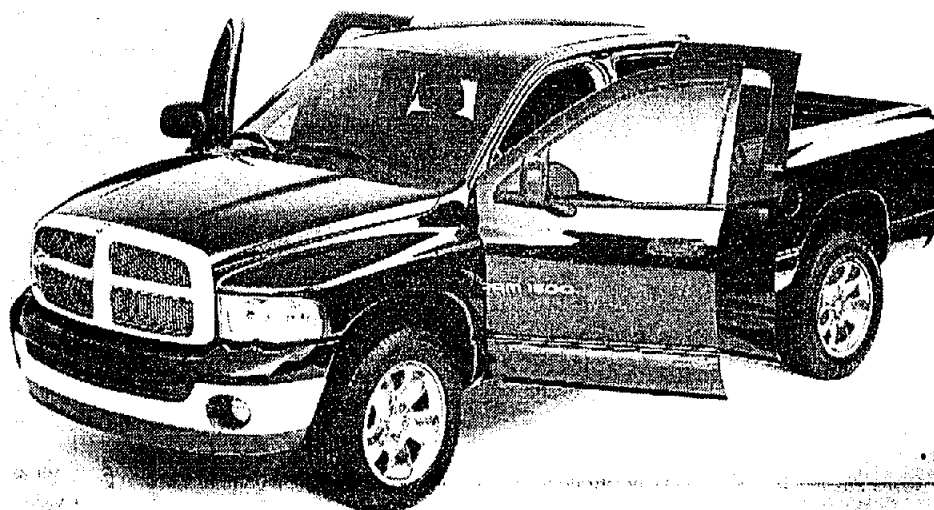
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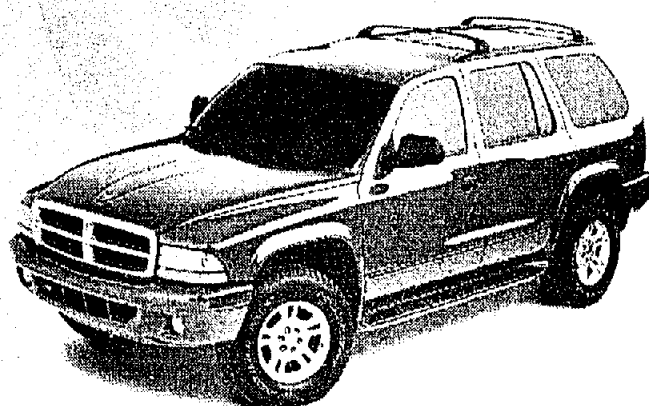
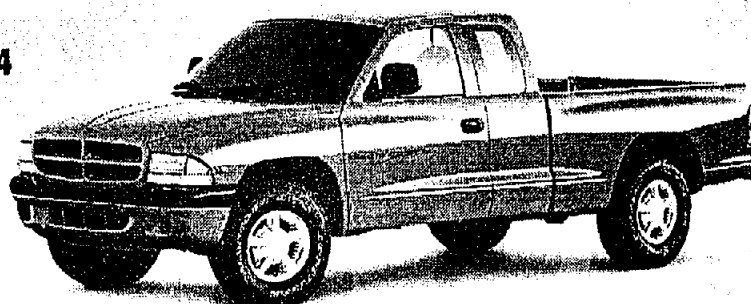
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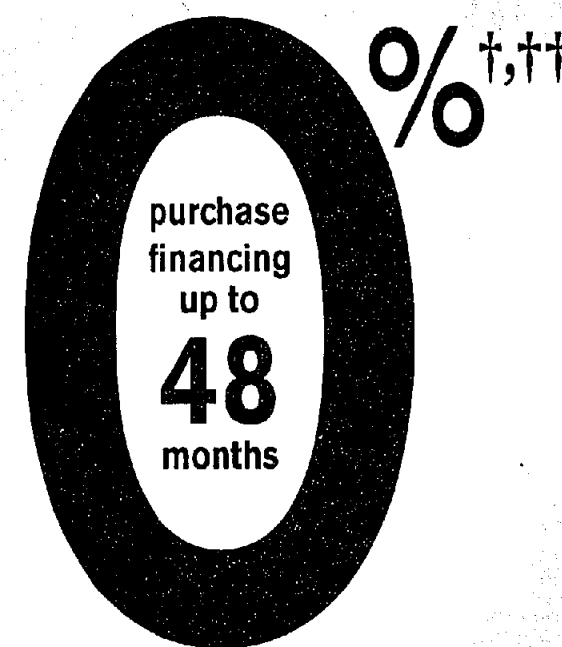
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Now the exciting part of the evening was the choosing of the new 2002 King and Queen of Hearts. The lovely lady to be crowned 2002 Queen of Hearts was Lorna Klowak.

Lorna's escort to the front was Staff Sergeant Tom Forster. And the new 2002 King of Hearts was none other than 98 year old Charlie Oliver from Terraceview Lodge.

Inspector Doug Wheler had the great privilege to escort Charlie to the front. Since this writing Charlie Oliver has celebrated his 99th birthday.

Coincidentally, both Charlie and I were born in the Marquette area. Charlie Oliver was born on March 11, 1903. Birthplace SW1/4, sec 23,23,3 Woodlands Municipality, Marquette, Manitoba. My birth place is the same. November 2, 1934, Lot 138, Baie St Paul, Marquette, Manitoba.

Before I go: To Inspector Doug Wheler and family we wish you a fond farewell and sorry to see you go. Best wishes in your new home from everyone in Terrace.

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### National Volunteer Week April 21 - 27

## Volunteering in Canada Fact Sheet

- Over 6.5 million Canadians volunteered in 2000 - a 13% drop since 1997.
- Volunteers contribute more than 1 billion volunteer hours - equal to 549,000 full-time, year round jobs.
- The amount of time spent volunteering increases with age, from a low 130 hours annually for 15- to 24-year olds to a high of 269 hours annually for seniors.
- Volunteers contributed an average of 162 hours each during 2000.
- A small minority of Canadians do most of the volunteering - a full 73% of all volunteer hours came from only 7% of Canadians.
- Employer support for volunteering is on the rise. More than one-quarter of employed volunteers changed their work hours in order to volunteer, and 27% reported receiving recognition from their employer for their volunteer work.
- Many Canadians (30% of all volunteers) get involved in volunteering because they were asked by someone in a voluntary organization. The second most common way volunteers get involved is by approaching the organization themselves (16%).
- More than half of all volunteers (57%) helped to organize or supervise activities or events for an organization.
- Almost all volunteers (95%) volunteer to help a cause they believe in.
- The most common reason for not volunteering more, or not volunteering at all, is lack of time.
- People who attend religious services on a weekly basis are much more likely to volunteer than those who do not (41% versus 24%).

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## Global Youth Service Day, April 26-28, 2002

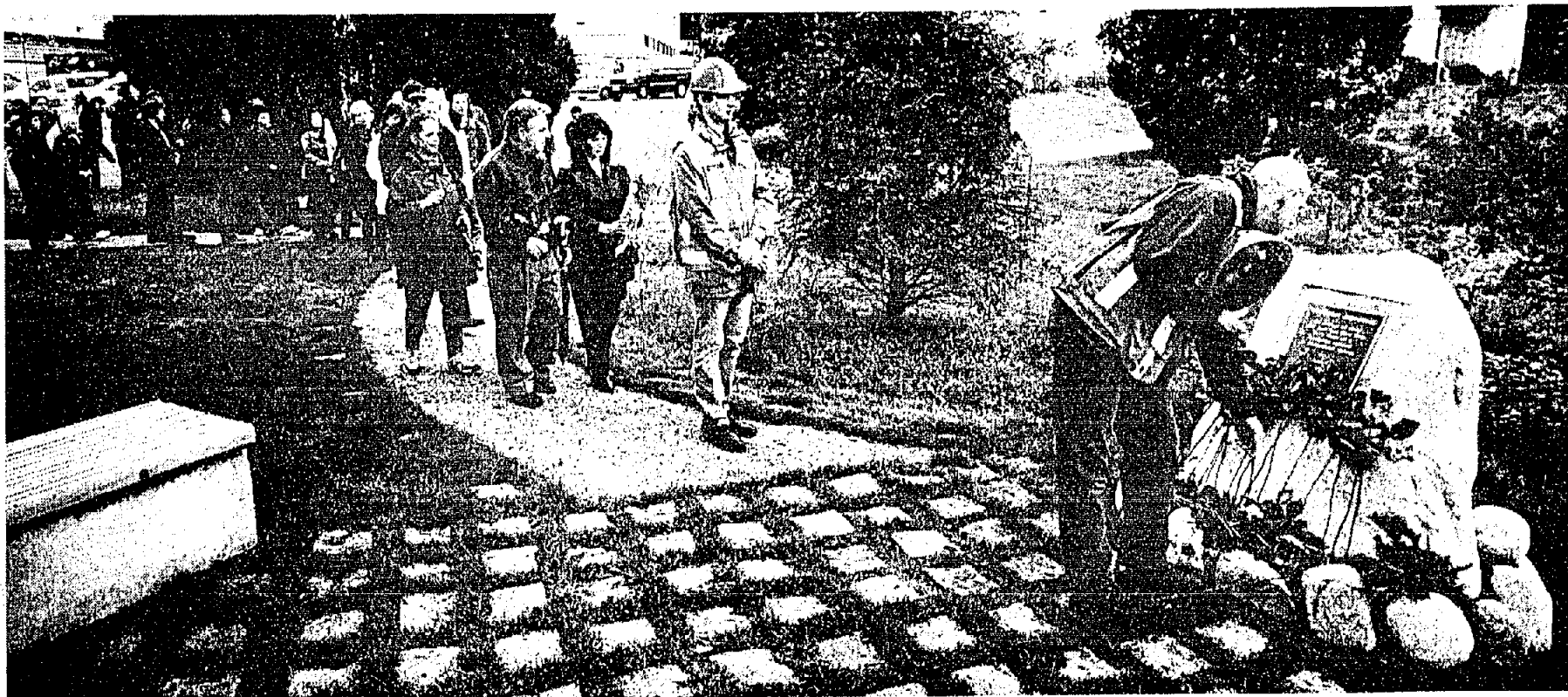
This year, National Volunteer Week (April 21 - 27) concludes with the celebration of Global Youth Service Day, April 26 - 28. Join with Volunteer Canada and Canadian Heritage to applaud and encourage young people making a difference in our communities. To find out more about Global Youth Service Day, visit [www.volunteer.ca](http://www.volunteer.ca) or contact the volunteer center nearest you.

Let's celebrate the volunteer spirit of Canadian youth!

Global Youth Service Day (GYSD), first created by Youth Service America, is an annual event celebrated during National Volunteer Week. From April 26 to 28, 2002, millions of young people will carry out community improvement projects across the world. GYSD is also a time for local, national, and international organizations to recognize the year-round contributions of young people, to recruit a new generation of volunteers and to promote young people as a key resource in community.

As we continue to analyze the reasons why people volunteer we see that youth become involved when they feel like their efforts are making a difference. Group volunteering opportunities, seeking youth input and connecting youth to community increase rates of youth volunteering. By recognizing and mobilizing youth volunteers, Global Youth Service Day is another important way to build strong youth and strong communities.

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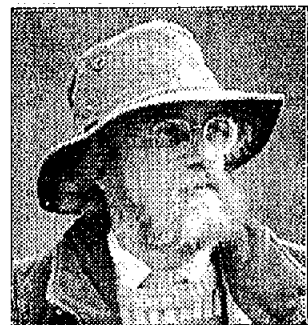
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**K**enny listened intently as Morris Thorn continued to spin a brocade of Vedder River memories, stitching it together with opinions obviously deeply held.

"The Hatchery is just one more coffin nail," growled Thorn, putting his face within inches of his young listener.

"Just one more nail..." his voice trailed off into the distance. His pale gray eyes glazed over like the surface of a mountain lake does before it's swallowed by cloud. Moments later a cerebral wind cleared away the mist and a piercing light shone from Thorn's eyes once more.

"Did you pass that vinyl village a few miles back?" he said.

Kenny nodded.

"There. Right there. That land was our place. It was the sticks back then. We were hillbillies. Coulda been a farm. Dad always talked about making it one, but he got used to making good money logging until he got hurt and couldn't run a farm if he wanted to.

"Grampa and Gramma lived a mile from us. They were the only people close by. They had an orchard and a huge garden. Between what the two of them grew, and the game grampa brought home with a gun and a rod, they fed us all, and fed us well."

Kenny held out another cigarette. Thorn took it and continued.

"It was Grampa that first took me to the river. I was nine. Won't forget it ever. He took me to a pool below Tamihi Creek. The hard woods were yellow and red, their leaves ripe and ready to fall with the next stiff wind. Grampa got me rigged up then pinned a big squirming night crawler to my hook.

"He was the best teacher I ever had; never said much. Didn't have to. He spoke with his eyes; spoke volumes with 'em.

"Boy," was all he said, before he gave me a look that said *keep your eyes on me and look hard 'cause it's not so hard that I should have to demonstrate it twice*. Then he stripped some line off that weathered old Winona reel and flicked the worm out over the water in a graceful arc. He stripped the line in and handed the rod to me. The first cast went well, I thought.

"Higher," was all grampa said, then he turned and built a fire with moss, some twigs, and the bark that he'd peeled off a Doug fir snag on the way in. He flipped the flap on his bulging Trapper Nelson and pulled a cast iron frying pan from inside it. He laid it on a big, flat rock, then he turned to tend the fire, to get a good bed of coals glowing.

"The moment he turned his back, my rod — it was one of them telescoping tubular steel poles — bent as much as it could. I pulled the line in so fast I can't, to this day, believe that fish didn't come off, or that the line didn't snap. And there, flopping at my feet, was a big, fat dolly varden. I derricked it up, swung around and lowered it in onto that black frying pan.

"There ya go, grampa," I said.

"Well, he spun around and laughed louder than ever heard him laugh before or after. In fact, I'd never heard him let out a genuine belly laugh like that one. He hoisted me up like I was some kinda hero, messed my hair with his big right hand and danced me a round some before put me down. He had tears running down his cheeks."

Thorn stopped the story abruptly. He took a pull on his cigarette.

"Coffin nails. First all these self-centered fools started building close to the river. One guy even put up a motel and campground near the crossing. It's a damn shame water is so attractive that everybody figgers they gotta live next to it.

"River's a moody thing. Sure enough, the river floods like it's supposed to and people start losin' their land and look like they're about to lose their homes. And before you know it big machines are crawling all over the valley floor putting up dikes and dredging channels.

"The fish can't speak. And, there's nobody around, especially in an emergency, to speak for 'em. And before you know it, the fishing is falling off and the rivers gettin' dirtier quicker and stayin' dirty longer. Bang — another nail in the lid.

A cold breeze reminded Kenny it was late.

"I gotta go," he said standing up.

"Well, go then," said Thorn, abruptly.

Kenny picked up his rod.

He made his way over the rocky beach, pausing to look back before taking the trail. The old man was still sitting looking out over the river.

Watching reflections, thought Kenny.

To be continued...

## Norwood stops pucks for Team North

By SARAH A. ZIMMERMAN

BRAD NORWOOD will have a lot of eyes on him next weekend when he takes to the ice with Team North in one of the biggest hockey tournaments to come to the northwest.

The Terrace teenager was recently selected as one of two goalies to play for the elite northern B.C. bantam team.

Team North is taking part in the Best Ever B.C. Cup in Kitimat May 2-5 and it'll be taking on the most talented young hockey prospects of their age in the province.

The Best Ever amateur hockey program is a venue for high calibre hockey and some players from this tournament will be chosen for spots on Team B.C. for the Canada Winter Games next year.

This is the first time the tournament has been held in the north. Kitimat will host 120 players from six regions to compete in the 15 game round robin.

Try-outs for Team North took place in Prince George Apr. 12-14.

"There were a lot of kids — 46 and they're all talented," said Team North assistant coach John Amos.

Amos also coached the Terrace Bantam rep team this year.

The 46 players from Smithers to Prince George to Whitehorse vied for just 20 spots on the Team.

The prospects played two 60 minute scrimmages and two 90 minute practises in front of 14 evaluators who were keeping their eyes open for players which would make the cut.

*"He played very well in all the pressure situations we put him in."*

"They all see these guys in the stands with their little books, making notes," said Amos. "Some feel the pressure and others just play the game."

Goaltenders, including Norwood, took part in special sessions focussing on goal tending fundamentals.

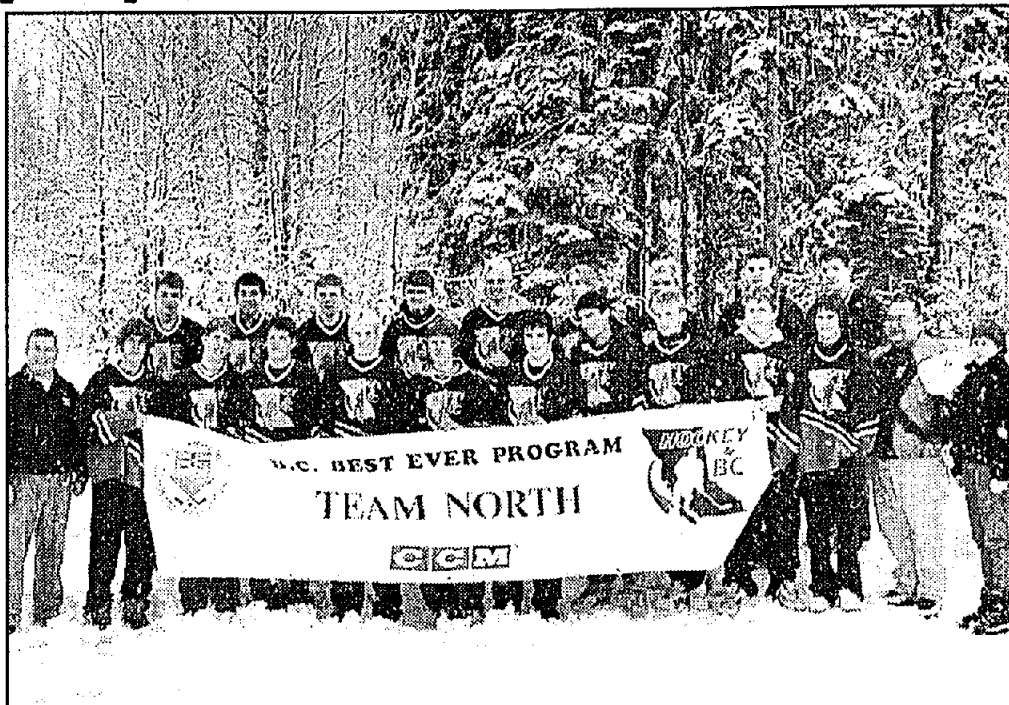
Just four boys from the northwest made the Team north team including Terrace's Brad Norwood, Jake Hughson, Will Blair and Kevin Hopson of Smithers and Jared Curle from Vanderhoof.

Amos said Norwood's spot on Team North is well-deserved.

"Brad was a real force on our team this year," Amos said of Norwood's performance between the pipes for Terrace's Bantam rep team.

"He played very well in all the pressure situations we put him in."

Terrace's rep team faced Smithers in the zone final and Norwood was in front of the net.



TEAM NORTH made up of bantam hockey players from northern B.C. take on the best of the province at the Best Ever B.C. Cup in Kitimat May 2-5. CONTRIBUTED PHOTO.

Smithers outshot Terrace a whopping 51-14 during regulation time and Amos said it was Norwood's ability that kept the score tied up, forcing overtime.

Terrace lost on a soft goal in overtime, but

Norwood's puck-stopping performance was what kept them in the game.

Norwood also

received the most dedicated player award at the end of the season.

The recipient is chosen by the coaches based on ability, performance and dedication.

"You look at a team and if we had taken him out of the picture it would have changed things drastically," Amos said.

Now Norwood will show fans, players and scouts from around the province what he's got when he hits the ice in the B.C. Cup in Kitimat.

"It should be great hockey to watch," Amos said. "For people who like fast-paced hockey — this'll probably be the best quality hockey to come see."

Past B.C. Cup players include hockey superstars Joe Sakic, Eric Brewer, Scott Niedermeyer and Paul Kariya.

Terrace's own Wade Flaherty was also between the pipes for Team North in 1984. He has since gone on to play in the NHL and in

the International Hockey League.

Vancouver's team is expected to be a powerhouse again this year simply because of the sheer volume of players they have to choose from.

With the best players of each region playing on each team, the competition will be stiff.

The tournament is a chance for fans to see some great hockey and cheer on Team North.

The first game of the tournament kicks off at 5 p.m. with Vancouver taking on the Kootenays.

Team North faces off against Vancouver Island at 7:30 p.m. May 2. Team North plays Vancouver at 9:45 a.m. May 3 and take on Fraser Valley at 6:30 p.m. the same day. The tournament runs until Sunday, May 5.

Tickets for the tournament are available at All Seasons Source for Sports in Terrace.



Brad Norwood

## Sports Scope

## Gymnastic meet rolls in

GYMNASTICS enthusiasts in Terrace are in for a treat this weekend as the Terrace Peaks host their invitational meet.

Teams from Smithers, Kitimat, Prince Rupert and Williams Lake will be hitting the mat at the Ed Fairless Memorial Gymnasium Sat. April 27.

Gymnasts will be competing in a variety of disciplines including floor exercise, balance beam, vault and uneven bars. The male athletes will compete on the parallel bars, floor, mushroom and rings.

The action kicks off at 8:15 a.m. when the Level 1 athletes compete.

The more senior athletes competing in Level 2, 3 and 4 start at 12:30 p.m. And the boys and KIP competition gets under way at 3:15 p.m.

The club is encouraging everyone to come out and cheer on your local athletes.

## Swapping 'cycles

CYCLISTS of all types are gearing up for Terrace's annual bike swap. The swap is set to go Saturday, April 27 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Anyone looking to sell their bike or buy a used model is invited to check out the event.

All bikes must be in working order and must be dropped off Friday, Apr. 26 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. at 112-4710 Lazelle Ave. next door to McBike Bike Shop. No drop offs will be permitted on Saturday.

For information call McBike Bike Shop at 635-5225.

## Bikers battle Shames hill

SHAMES Mountain may not be open for skiers but that doesn't mean the action on the hill has stopped.

Cyclists are chomping at the bit to get the biking season under way. They're eager to challenge the Shames Mountain hill climb by battle the 13km slog from the bottom of the road to the chalet at the resort Sunday, Apr. 28.

Last year Terrace's Vincent Drouin outsprinted Smithers' Mike Jordan at the tail end of the race to win the hill climb.

A slight headwind last year prevented record times from being set.

But if there are clear skies and little wind that could change this year as the cyclists go head to head to see who is the master of the mountain.

For more information or to register for this event call McBike Bike Shop at 635-5225.



## Skate session

Eric Cardinal, 16, rides a rail at the Terrace skate park. With the sun shining and the snow melting, last week was one of the first chances local skaters have had to use the park this spring. This year's annual skateboard and BMX competition at the park is slated for the Riverboat Days weekend in August. SARAH A. ZIMMERMAN PHOTO.









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**GOLD DIGGERS** Flea Market GRAND OPENING May 1st. Open for business 6 days/week. Closed Mondays, 4444 Lakelse Ave. New used and consignment. Old Salvation Army building.

**WELCOME WAGON**

Your Welcome Wagon Hostess for Terrace, B.C. is:

**Cathy**  
**615-9286**

If you are new to Terrace or having a baby, please call Your Welcome Wagon hostess for your free gifts and information.

**120 BIRTHDAYS**

Jesse Longpré wishes to announce the birth of his baby brother,

**Cody Joseph Darrel Longpré**on **April 4, 2002.**

Jesse and his parents especially want to thank Dr. Kruger for his professional skill and expertise in safely delivering Cody. South Africa's loss has truly become Terrace's gain.



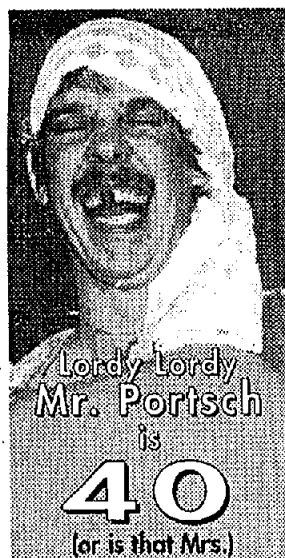
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### Terrace Church of God Pastor Appreciation Sunday Sunday, April 28, 2002

The Terrace Church of God will be hosting a Pastor Appreciation Service at 11:00 a.m. at 3341 River Drive.

**A SMORGASBORD will follow at 5:00 p.m.****at the Kitsumkalum Community Hall.**

This is to honor Reverend Arnold Miller for his many years of dedication to the Northcoast area.

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**150 LEGAL NOTICES**

**BRITISH COLUMBIA** **NOTICE INVITING APPLICATION FOR** **MINISTRY OF FORESTS**

**TIMBER SALE LICENCE A43547**

Pursuant to Section 20 of the Forest Act a Timber Sale Licence is being offered for sale.

Closing Date: May 9, 2002 at 8:30 a.m. District: Kalum

Geographic Location: Old Remo Area Term: One (1) year

Volume: 10,837 cubic metres, more or less

Upset Stumpage Rate: \$5.44 per cubic metre

The upset stumpage rate was determined by the Market Pricing System, and is applicable only to coniferous green sawlog grades.

Species: Hemlock 59%, Spruce 12%, Cedar 16%, Pine 13%, more or less

Tenders will only be accepted from individuals or corporations registered as a Small Business Forest Enterprise, Category One (1).

Logging System: Cable 11.4 ha and Ground Based 11.8 ha

This licence requires the building of approximately 3.6 kilometres of on-block roads. Harvesting is scheduled for winter months on a 0.8 metre snow pack.

Applications will be accepted by the District Manager, Kalum Forest District, 200-5220 Keith Avenue, Terrace, British Columbia V8G 1L1 until 8:30 a.m. on May 9, 2002.

There is additional material which the applicant must consider in their application. This material, application forms, and other information about the Small Business Program, can be obtained from the above Forest District Office. Specify Timber Sale Licence A43547.

**BRITISH COLUMBIA** **INVITING APPLICATIONS FOR** **MINISTRY OF FORESTS**

**CONTRACT E03-09-9999** **FOR SIGN PRODUCTION**

Sealed Tenders for the Sign Production Contract will be received by the District Manager, Kalum Forest District, #200-5220 Keith Avenue, Terrace, British Columbia, V8G 1L1, up to 11:00 a.m. on May 1, 2002, and will be opened in public at that time.

Tenders are invited from qualified contractors only. A qualified contractor is one who has successfully completed work of a similar size and nature within the past five years, and is in good standing with the Registrar of Companies and the Workers' Compensation Board.

Contract packages may be viewed and/or obtained from the Kalum Forest District Office, #200-5220 Keith Avenue, Terrace, British Columbia V8G 1L1.

All inquiries should be directed to Brian Bailey, at the above address. Phone (250) 638-5117 or Fax (250) 638-5178.

The successful bidder must supply a cash security of 10% in a form acceptable to the Province.

Tenders must be submitted on the forms and in the envelope supplied. No tender shall be considered having any qualifying clauses whatsoever, and the lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Contract award is subject to funding being available at the time.

**BRITISH COLUMBIA** **NOTICE OF AN IMPENDING ORDER TO** **MINISTRY OF FORESTS**

**ESTABLISH A NON MOTORIZED RECREATION ZONE IN THE KALUM FOREST DISTRICT**

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to Section 105 (1) (b) of the Forest Practices Code of British Columbia Act, the Kalum Forest District Manager is expecting to establish non-motorized recreation zones in the Kalum Forest District. The expected effective date for these non-motorized recreation zones is June 1, 2002. This impending order is consistent with the recommendations of the approved (April 2001) Kalum Land and Resource Management Plan. All areas under consideration can be generally defined as the area above 3,200 feet above sea level.

Mount William Brown to Mount Morris (excluding the Shames Mountain Ski area) and the area East of Shroud Mountain and Mount Remo

Managed for Winter non-motorized recreation;

The use of snowmobiles, ATVs and dirt bikes will be prohibited, year round, except for emergency or rescue use or for the purposes of mineral exploration and development or resource management activities (e.g. wildlife inventories) carried out by government agencies;

The use of these areas for tenured commercial heli-ski and hike recreation activities will be location specific - check the information package for details (see below for availability).

Sleeping Beauty Mountain and Maroon Mountain South to Glacier Peak

Restricted motorized access from June 1 to October 31 to the developed roads only so that sensitive alpine ecosystems will not be impacted by motorized vehicles;

Except for emergency or rescue use, for the purposes of mineral exploration and development or resource management activities (e.g. wildlife inventories) carried out by government agencies off road motorized access, from June 1 to October 31, will be prohibited.

The information package containing copies of the Impending Order, a map showing the location and boundaries of the non-motorized recreation zones will be available by April 26, 2002 at the Ministry of Forests, Regional Office, 3726 Allied Street, Smithers, British Columbia V0J 2N0, between the hours of 8:30 am to 4:30 pm Monday to Friday and at the Kalum Forest District Office, 5220 Keith Avenue, Terrace, British Columbia V8G 1L1, between the hours of 8:00 am to 4:00 pm.

All inquiries to the Regional Office should be directed to Lloyd Davies (phone 250-847-7500 or via email Lloyd.Davies@gems.gov.bc.ca) at the above address and all inquiries to the Kalum Forest District should be directed to Dave Bewick (phone 250-638-5156 or via email Dave.Bewick@gems.gov.bc.ca).

B.D. Downie, District Manager, Kalum Forest District

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
REQUEST FOR QUOTES**Contractors are invited to submit a quote for Traffic Control and Level 1 First Aid Attendant services within the **TERRACE - KITIMAT AREA** for the fiscal year 2002-2003.

Maps and specifications are available at the following location:

The Ministry of Transportation Office:  
4825 Keith Avenue  
Terrace, B.C.  
V8G 1K7  
Phone: (250) 638-6401  
Fax: (250) 638-6414

Quotes will be accepted at the Terrace Office up to 2:00 P.M. on Tuesday, May 7, 2002.

Awarding of this contract would be subject to the availability of funds.

For further information contact:  
Elaine Owen at (250) 638-6401.

**BRITISH COLUMBIA**

Ministry of Transportation  
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**150 LEGAL NOTICES**

**BRITISH COLUMBIA** **CALLING FOR TENDERS** **MINISTRY OF FORESTS**

Sealed Tenders for the following Small Business Forest Enterprise Program Free Growing Survey contract will be received by the District Manager, Ministry of Forests, North Coast Forest District, 125 Market Place, Prince Rupert, B.C., V8J 1B9.

Contract SB2003-13, covering 309 hectares

Located: Princess Royal Island, Gardner Canal, Banks Island, Pitt Island, Cuthbert Creek

Bidders must have:

- previously completed at least one Free Growing Silviculture Survey contract in the Coastal Western Hemlock BGC Zone, and
- previously completed at least one Multi-layer Silviculture Survey.

Potential bidders should note that all work units in this contract are in isolated locations, requiring access either by boat or aircraft, and are encouraged to ensure familiarity with logistics and costs of fieldwork of this nature prior to submitting bids.

Tenders must be submitted on the form and in the envelope supplied which, with particulars, may be obtained from the Ministry of Forests, District Manager. Indicate above. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted. All inquiries should be made to the contract coordinator, Glenn Piggot, by telephone 250-824-7400.

Deadline for receipt of tenders is May 23, 2002 at 3:00 p.m. at which time all tenders will be opened. Fax tenders will not be accepted.

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
REQUEST FOR QUOTES**Contractors are invited to submit a quote for Traffic Control and Level 1 First Aid Attendant services within the **NASS VALLEY** for the fiscal year 2002-2003.

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**BRITISH COLUMBIA**

Ministry of Transportation  
Skeena District

**LAND ACT  
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR A  
DISPOSITION OF CROWN LAND**

Take notice that Portland Canal Aggregates Corporation c/o Suite 410 - 688 Hastings Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V6B 1P1 intends to make application for a Licence of Occupation over unsurveyed land and foreshore, being part of the bed of Portland Canal. The land is generally situated at Swamp Point, north of the mouth of Donahue Creek, along the shore of the Portland Canal, and more specifically described below:

Commencing at a post planted approximately 500 metres NNW of the mouth of Donahue Creek, along the foreshore of the Portland Canal, thence 700 metres in a 327 degree direction; thence 100 metres in a 237 degree direction; thence 700 metres in a 147 degree direction; thence 100 metres in a 57 degree direction; and containing 7 hectares more or less.

The purpose for which the land is required is for loading facilities for a sand and gravel quarry proposed on that part of the surface of District Lot 2024, surveyed as "Never Sweat" Mineral Claim, together with that part of District Lot 1314, Cassiar District, containing 51 hectares more or less. The Lands File Number that has been established for this application is 6406887.

Written comments concerning this application should be directed to the Senior Land Officer at Land and Water British Columbia Inc., Skeena Region, P.O. Box 5000, Smithers, B.C., V0J 2N0 Telephone (250) 847-7335.

Comments will be received by Land and Water British Columbia Inc. until June 3, 2002. Land and Water British Columbia Inc. may not be able to consider comments received after this date.

Be advised any response to this advertisement will be considered part of the public record. For information, contact FOI Advisor, Land and Water British Columbia Inc., Skeena Region, (250) 847-7352.

File No: 6406887  
Dated April 15, 2002

**STEVE BUCHAN**

Name of agent



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For appointment to view, please contact Roger Smith

## REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

INVITATION FOR  
REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL  
CONSULTANT SERVICES

The Town of Smithers intends to develop a new Municipal Office (public assembly building) and is requesting proposals from Architects, Cost Consultants, and Structural Engineers in preparing the terms of reference for "Design-Bid-Build" for future tendering.

The scope of the project will require the Consultant to be flexible in evaluation proposals including: existing buildings that may be remodeled, construction of a new facility, public private partnership and other innovative concepts.

Proposals interested should submit the following information no later than 4:30pm, Friday, May 10, 2002:

- Name and profile of the firm
- Resumes of the senior partner(s)
- Design-Bid-Build projects accomplished and similar
- Accountability to meet schedules and budgets
- Fee for service (hourly/fixed fee estimates)
- Anticipated schedule and timelines to complete the proposal

Upon review of the proposals the Town may select, for further consideration only those consultant(s) that have demonstrated qualifications, experience, and project accomplishments. All costs incurred for the submission of a proposal are strictly borne by the consultant(s).

This is not a tender and the Town of Smithers reserves the right to reject all proposals(s) and to select the best proposal for its application. For further information and supporting documentation, please contact the undersigned.

Town of Smithers  
Box 879  
Smithers, BC V0J 2N0  
Phone (250) 847-1600  
Fax (250) 847-1601  
Attention: Wallace Mah, CAO  
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MEMORIAM

## In Loving Memory of

Linda Wagner

Oct. 27, 1951 - April 30, 2001  
My condolences to the family. A year has gone by and I miss her dearly. She meant the world to me.

I met Linda in the first years of High School and have been friends with her ever since. Through the years we've laughed, cried and even parted hard together. Linda and I made a pack no matter what we did, we would never stay mad at each other, if we had differences. That is what made our friendship so sincere.

In some way Linda and I experienced the same things. Linda had one child named Todd, and I had one child named Shelley. We also had a dream that we would go to Hawaii together and we did. I'll always cherish that memory.

I'm glad Linda came into my life and made me a part of hers. She was a kind, loving person who had a heart of gold. She was always helping others. Linda, I love you and will never forget you, until I see you again.

Your Best Friend Always,  
Norma Lambie

## Patsy Anderson

December 9, 1943 -

April 24, 1994

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Whatever lands

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Whatever joy or

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We will always

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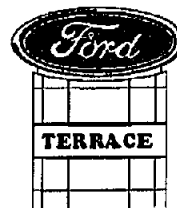
## CERTIFIED PLANNERMAN MILLWRIGHT

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Previous mechanical experience a must, Journeyman's Mechanical ticket preferred. Must have exceptional customer relationship and communication skills, computer experience would be an asset. Competitive salary and benefit package available to successful applicant. Apply in person with resume:



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## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Position Title: Accounting Clerk

Term of Position: Full-time/Half-Time

## Qualifications

- Bookkeeping Certificate
- 3-5 Years Experience
- Drivers Licence and Vehicle
- Experience with First Nations Accounting Systems
- Good Communications Skills
- Proficient with Accpac and Excel Programs

Deadline for applications: April 26, 2002

Submit your application and resume to:

Kitselas Band Council  
4562 Queensway Drive  
Terrace, B.C.  
V8G 3X6  
Attention: Band Manager  
Fax: 635-5335  
Email: [kitselas.village@osg.net](mailto:kitselas.village@osg.net)

## Gitanmaax Village Council

Employment Opportunity  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Reporting the Gitanmaax Village Council, the Gitanmaax Village Council Executive Director will take any lawful action necessary to carry out the responsibilities delegated to him/her so long as such actions demonstrate sound judgment and does not deviate procedure and does not exceed the specific limitations placed on his/her authority by the Gitanmaax Village Council.

## Duties:

- To support and assist in the development of the departmental operational plans that will meet the goals and objectives set out by the Gitanmaax Village Council
- To supervise the department heads in a manner that develops team work and interdepartmental collaboration
- To ensure that all activities make the most rational and economic use of the Village Council resources
- To develop and implement a professional development program for all staff and to provide approval for attendance at seminars, conferences, etc., on operational considerations
- To hire, plan, direct, co-ordinate, administer and supervise the day to day activities of staff working directly under his/her jurisdiction, and to take any disciplinary or termination, as appropriate
- To develop and ensure that an evaluation process is implemented for all staff under his/her jurisdiction on an annual basis
- To develop and ensure proper probationary procedures are conducted
- To recommend to the Gitanmaax Village Council salary increases for staff
- To address public inquiries as they relate to the Gitanmaax Village Council operation
- To develop and administer budgets and to support Department Heads in the development and administration of their respective budgets
- To consult with Department Heads and employees to ensure that the personnel policies of the Gitanmaax Village Council are thoroughly understood and followed
- To supervise the preparation and maintenance of accurate personnel files on all Village Council employees
- Prepare proposals and application for funding from Federal, Provincial, and other granting agencies
- Develop and implement a Communication strategy for public awareness of the programs and services department
- Work as a Team Member with Senior Management personnel
- Develop and implement a technology strategy for all staff
- To manage the financial affairs of the organization in conjunction with the Finance Minister, accountant and bookkeeping staff and Gitanmaax Government Commission
- To manage the capital projects/Public works department in conjunction with the Public Works staff and others
- To exercise such other powers and carry out additional related tasks and functions as may be assigned from time to time by the Gitanmaax Village Council

## Statement of Qualifications:

- Degree in Business Administration or a combination of experience and knowledge of sound Management practices - min. two years
- Secondary School Graduation
- Knowledge of Gitanmaax culture, language, and traditions
- Good interpersonal skills
- Good organizational skills
- Demonstrated ability to supervise and develop human potential
- Demonstrated ability to represent the Village Council in a positive manner
- Good written and oral communication skills
- Proficient knowledge and use of computer technology

Deadline for application submission: May 3, 2002

Submit your resume with cover letter and reference to:

Gitanmaax Village Government  
Personnel Committee  
P.O. Box 440  
Hazelton, BC V0J 2N0

## Wanted

2nd cook for up beat, busy pub. We are looking for the right person to join our kitchen team. At least 3-5 years experience in cooking, making sauces & salads. Please forward resume to Mulvaney's Pub Box 604 Burns Lake, B.C. V0J 1E0 or fax to (250) 692-3098 Attn: Bob

Local company  
has opening for  
PART TIME  
SALESPERSON

Salary and commission are negotiable depending on experience. Must have vehicle. Successful applicant will be highly motivated and have excellent communication skills.

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Terrace, B.C. V8G 4B5



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SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 92  
(NISGA'A)COMPETITION • 02-04  
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY  
District Technician

School District No. 92 (Nisga'a) is accepting applications for the full time position of District Technician. Wages and benefits start from \$1700/hr. and increase with education and experience.

The following duties are to be carried out in accordance with policy:

- Maintenance of connectivity, workstations and networks.
- Implementation of District ICT Planning.
- Maintenance of Wireless Systems.
- Provisions of Technical Support.
- Hardware repairs and installations.
- Network Security and data routing.
- Development of district data systems.
- Assisting in administrative tasks and other duties as assigned.
- Confidentiality.

## Minimum qualifications:

- Microsoft certification or equivalent experience.
- Grade 12 Graduation
- Evidence of excellent interpersonal and communication skills.
- Evidence of self motivational and ability to work without supervision.
- Drivers Licence and the ability and willingness to travel.
- Ownership of a roadworthy vehicle.

The following skills would be considered assets:

- Skills in Linux/Samba networking.
- Skills in mail and data routing.
- Experience in or knowledge of School District processes and procedures.
- Ability to repair computer hardware including laptops.
- Familiarity with mail and web servers.
- Familiarity with web page constructions, possibly Dreamweaver/Fireworks.
- Skills in setting up and running basic databases.

This posting closes May 6, 2002. The posting will be extended if necessary. Employment scheduled to begin between May 13 and May 21, 2002. Please send your resume by email attachment to Robert Wahl, District Technology Coordinator, at the email address below in one of the following formats: MSWord, TRF or HTML. Use the body of the message as a covering letter. Include the contact information of all previous and current employers.

For further information, or to send a resume, email [rwahl@nsgaa.bc.ca](mailto:rwahl@nsgaa.bc.ca) For further information or to discuss the opportunity call 250-633-2228.



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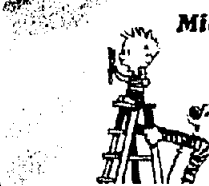
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## Sports menu

To get your game, event or meeting added to the Terrace Standard Sports Menu or Sports Scope, fax us at 638-8432, or you can e-mail us at standard@kermode.net

Apr. 27

■ Terrace Peaks Invitational Gymnastics meet at Ed Fairless Gymnasium. Competition goes 8:15 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Apr. 28

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